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THE BANKRUPTCY ACT.

In the Estate of Maria Rodwell Midmer, Debtor.

The undersigned Trustee for the above estate will offer for sale by public auction, at the office of the Sheriff, at the Court House, in the Town of Napanee, at 2 o'clock p.m. of the forenoon of Saturday, October 23rd, 1926, subject to a reserve bid, and subject to the conditions of sale which will be read at the time of the sale, all the lands and premises of the above named Maria Rodwell Midmer, being parts of lots number Eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) in the First Concession of the Township of Richmond in the County of Lennox and Addington and containing 200 acres of land, more or less. The said lands may be offered as one parcel, including all farm lands and buildings, timber, log saw mill, grist mill and appurtenances, or in separate parcels. The farm buildings and mill buildings are in good state of repair. The lands are situated at Millhaven, east of Bath, on the main road to Kingston. The lands are composed of farm lands and splendid lake frontage, suitable for summer homes. It is estimated that there is 800 waney of timber stands upon the lands. The saw mill, together with all machinery necessary for the manufacture of lath boxes and other small machine work, stands ready for operation; also grain-grinding mill, with all necessary scales, bins, etc. Mills operated by water power from stream upon the premises.

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ENTERPRISE.

Digging potatoes is the order of the day.

Rev. Mr. Chatson, Free Methodist Minister, has moved into Mrs. W. H. Vanness' house.

Little Burt Bunt, who underwent an operation for adenoids and tonsils, in the General Hospital, Kingston, is doing nicely.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bunt, who is in-training at the General Hospital, Kingston, called on her parents one day recently.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Baptist Wilson, Mrs. Kitty MacGregor and Mr. Shirley Hinchey in the death of their sister, Mrs. James Shannon, Newburgh.

The recent rains have made it quite difficult for threshing and corn cutting in this community.

Some of the boys who went on the harvest excursion to the West are expected home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Card, Centreville, called on friends on Tuesday last.

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TOWN COUNCIL

Council Chamber,
October 18th, 1926.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening, Mayor Ming in the chair.

Present—Councillors Dunbar, Roy, Simpson, Fitzpatrick, Howlett, MacGregor and Boyes.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and confirmed.

Coun. Boyes entered and took his seat.

Warden W. C. T. Loyst and County Clerk W. G. Wilson appeared before the council in reference to a communication received, asking that a special meeting of the County Council be called to put through an agreement between the county and the corporation of the Town of Napanee in connection with the building of a permanent pavement on Centre street, from the C. N. Railway crossing south to Water street. The Warden did not want to put the County to the expense of calling a special meeting, as the regular meeting would be held the latter part of November. A meeting of the Roads and Bridges Committee of the County Council was called for Tuesday and the above proposed agreement would come up for discussion at this meeting, also the question of calling a special meeting. Centre street, from the Richmond boundary, south to where it connects with the North Frederieksburgh boundary, is considered a commercial link in the County Road System, and according to the Ontario Highways Act, the County pays 60 per cent. the construction of a twenty foot strip of the roadway. The total width of the roadway is considerably be twenty-four feet and the town will have to assume this extra cost. According to an estimate prepared by a competent engineer, the twenty foot strip of permanent pavement will cost $25,500. The Ontario Government will remit to the County Council 50 per cent. of the cost of this work. Should the actual cost exceed the estimate of $22,500, the town will have to assume the expense.

According to the Highways Act no work shall be begun until an agreement is reached between the county and the town. One of the reason why the council is anxious to have the agreement put through so that the storm sewers and other preliminary work might be completed this fall.

A copy of the proposed agreement, together with a by-law confirming the same, was delivered to Warden Loyst to be placed before the meeting of the County Roads and Bridges Committee on Tuesday.

A vote of thanks was tendered Warden Loyst for coming to the Council, thereby helping to facilitate the settlement of the question under discussion.

Warden Loyst, replying to the vote of thanks, thanked the members of the Council for the kind words of appreciation and stated that this was the first time he had ever been asked to leave the room during the deliberations of the Council.

Mr. D. Dempsey, representing the Employers Liability Co. of Toronto, was present and addressed the council in reference to insurance for members of the Fire Department.

On motion of Councillors MacGregor and Howlett, the question of insurance for members of the Fire Department was referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee to investigate and report at the next regular meeting of council.

Coun. Simpson, chairman of the Finance Committee, introduced the question of the town having its own checks printed in a form more suitable for the town's business. The cost would be very little and would prove more satisfactory.

Referred to the Finance and Printing Committee.

Coun. MacGregor, chairman of the Sewer Committee, reported that as soon as weather permitted, the work of cleaning out the natural watercourse from Mr. Butler's property in West Napanee, running east, would be proceeded with. Also that men had been employed cleaning out the latter's course running east from the C. N. Railway station. The cost of this work was being paid for by the parties through whose property this watercourse runs.

On motion of Councillors MacGregor and Dunbar, the Clerk was instructed to write Mr. Robt. Meyers asking him to have the foundation of the barn adjoining, as the stones were falling into an open sewer and blocking it up.

Coun. Roy, chairman of Fire, Water and Light Committee, reported that he had made an inspection of all the fire alarm boxes, and found them in good order on each box in bad repair. He had made some enquiries concerning the cost of new boxes similar to the ones on the new alarm box recently installed at the corner of Richard and Water streets. If they could be secured at a reasonable price, the work of attaching them to the fire alarm boxes will be taken over the Napanee Iron Works without any cost to the town.

Reeve Boyes, chairman of Town Property Committee, reported that the sludge well at the Disposal Works had been repaired and put in good working order. Also that some slight repairs were needed on the Public Libbuildings, and some material and seeds were asked for by the caretaker of the Harvey Warner Park.

A by-law authorizing the construction of a sewer on Isabella street, easterly from John street, a distance of 189 feet, was introduced, given its several readings and finally passed.

ACCOUNTS:

The following accounts were ordered paid:

J. L. Boyes & Son	$ 65
John Vine	45 00
Citizens Band	250 00
Hart & Co.	52 66
Electric Supply Co.	6 05
W. J. Le Maitre	90

The following accounts were referred to Committees with power to act: Davy & Allison, $3.50, Streets; Davy & Allison, $9.00, Town Property; J. J. Haines, $20.50, Streets; Davis & Son, $68.38, Streets; Boyle & Son, $2.30, Parks; J. M. Graham, $14.55, Streets; D. B. Wilson, 30c., $2.50, $35.84, Streets; Hydro Electric Commission, new fire alarm box, $187.35, Fire, Water & Light; Hydro Electric Commission, lighting accounts, Town Clerk.

H. H. HORSEY SUGGESTED

FOR POST OF LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF ONTARIO.

Recent advices from Ottawa give the name of Mr. H. H. Horsey as one of those being mentioned for the position of Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, to fill the vacancy due to the early retirement of Hon. Harry Lockhart. Prince Edwardes, irrespective of party affiliations, would be delighted to have Mr. Horsey appointed to this position. He has many claims, both from a party and personal standpoint. He has always been a consistent Liberal, and in the contests he was the Liberal standard-bearer for this riding. That he was three times defeated was no discredit to Mr. Horsey, for his defeat was solely on party grounds and from the party standpoint. The question of personality never entered into the contests.

Mr. Horsey has many personal qualities that eminently fit him for the position. He has a pleasing manner, is a good speaker, has travelled widely, has a good education and has made a success of his business undertakings. These qualities and his geniality as the person of any one who fills the position of Lieutenant-Governor. From all these standpoints Mr. Horsey is eligible and his Conservative, as well as Liberal friends, in Prince Edward County are delighted if the honour should come to him.—Picton Gazette.

SOFTBALL

The two Napanee teams continued with their winning ways last Wednesday at the Armouries, when their old rivals, Deseronto, appeared. Napanee taking both games. The Deseronto boys were never in the running, losing a five inning struggle by a score of 17-6, after pitching a good game for the locals, but his team mates had no difficulty in connecting with the delivery of Dennee and McVicar, the two Deseronto boys. The visitors were at a big disadvantage, however, in the atmosphere, this being their first game indoors.

The teams:

Deseronto — Whitten, Lyons, Perry, Bruyea, Maracle, Cole, Detlor, Webster, McVicar.

Napanee—Kirby, Bentley, Davern, McDonald, Murphy, Reid, Garrett, Harrison, Fraser, Howie, Powell.

The Napanee "Leafs" have not been any too successful against the Ponies this summer, took great pleasure in beating them by a score of 26-20. The local girls piled up an overwhelming lead in the first six innings, then, with the game sewed up, eased up a trifle. They are playing better ball on every appearance, and should be getting better crowds to watch them.

At the end of the seventh inning Marion Embury was presented with a prize for leading the team in batting during the outdoor season, consisting of a fine windbreaker, with the crest of her team. This was a surprise to the fans as well as to the player having just hit a home run. She batted this season to the tune of .456, probably the highest average in the league.

Kathleen Ungar, wearing the red and yellow of the visiting team, was hardly recognized by the majority of the fans. She starred in a good game in centre field.

The teams:

Deseronto — Whitten, Genereaux, Wagar, Gaulin, Normile, Hopping, Ungar, Perry, Amey, Foote.

Napanee—I. Embury M. Embury, Johnston, Stinson, M., Douglas, O'Neill, Grass, M. Douglas, Dickson, G. Harrington, Bates.

Ponies..... 1 0 1 1 0 2 4 4 7—20
Leafs..... 6 1 0 6 2 7 4 0 x—26

The Napanee management are being congratulated on their quarters on their idea of using girl umpires during the boys' games. They know the rules of the game far better than most of the spectators, and their decisions are very impartial. The umpires used in the boys' games were Hazel O'Neill at the plate, and Lillian Wagar on the bases.

The Napanee Inter-Church Softball League Executive has organized for the winter season, and the first game in this popular indoor league will be held Monday, October 26th, between Grace and St. Mary's. The other teams entered are Trinity and St. Andrew's. The executive are now busy arranging the schedule, which will consist of twenty-four games, and will run until March. They will play every second week, the Leafs tackling out of town teams in the intervals.

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OPENING OF THE MISSION RENEWAL AND HOLY YEAR EXERCISES

IN ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, NAPANEE, ONT.

The zeal that inspired the Rev. Pastor of St. Patrick's Church to open a triduum of prayer in order to emphasize the duty and obligations of humanity to God, and increase its confidence in the mercy and love of God, was amply rewarded in the universal response as evidenced by the splendid outpouring of devotion of the people of town and country, which taxed the capacity of the church morining and evening. The eloquent Missionary, Father James P. Fallon, who conducted so successful a Mission here a year ago, also conducted this Triduum.

An instruction every morning on the virtues necessary to every Christion, followed 7.30 o'clock Mass.

The evenings were devoted to special sermons delivered after the recitation of the Rosary. The opening sermon on Sunday evening was taken from the words of St. Luke 15th Chap.: "There shall be more joy in heaven over one sinner who doth penance, than ninety-nine just who heed not penance." In clear and forceful language the Rev. Speaker explained the true meaning of these words, and showed from practical illustrations, the necessity to evil in the world more to be feared and avoided than the evil of despair, while on the contrary, there was no sinner too far gone to be desired than the virtue of confidence and faith in God.

The subject on Monday evening was taken from the words of Christ to Peter, "What shall it profit a man to gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his soul."

Tuesday evening the Rev. Missionary dealt long and reasonably enunciated the vanity of all things "Save to know, love and serve God," taking as his text the words of St. Paul, "Christ suffered for us leaving an example that we Christians must follow patiently the divine Way, the Truth and Life in our trials, crosses and suffering."

The climax of the devotions was reached on Wednesday evening when to an overflowing audience of all denominations, the popular Missionary gave a lucid and very earnest explanation of a devotion dear to every Catholic heart, viz., devotion to the great Mother of God. The words of Christ dying on the cross to his beloved disciple, John, was the text chosen for this beautiful discourse, "Son, behold thy Mother, Mother behold thy son." Reading of which was those words heard from any pulpit a more illuminating and eloquent sermon on the value and love of Mary as a selection in bringing forth the world's Redeemer.

The question why so much honor is paid to the Blessed Virgin in the Catholic Church was fully and reasonably answered by the Rev. lecturer, whose treatment of the subject of devotion to the Mother of God, so much misunderstood outside the church, was handled in a masterly fashion, and held the great assemblage in the deepest interest, while his words of praise for the religious orders of all and inflamed the hearts of the faithful with increased respect and confidence in her whom God Himself honored. The Rev. speaker set before and carefully weighed each word of the dialogue between the Angel and the Virgin, and from this meeting proved that no greater honor was ever conferred upon a human being than was given on this occasion bestowed on Mary, whether we consider the personal dignity of the Mother or the circumstances character of the message.

This homage and honor paid to the Mother of God redounded to the Son. We honor her, the Rev. Missionary exclaimed, as Our Lady of Perpetual Help and our advocate before God, but we adore God alone. The Rev. Missionary closed with a touching appeal to all to increase their devotion and confidence in the Advocacy of the Blessed Mother of God, to whom no one appealed in vain. After the Apostolic Blessing was solemnly given there was brought to a close the most successful Triduum ever held in St. Patrick's Church.

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TAMWORTH.

Rev. Mr. Bunt, Enterprise, was the preacher in the United Church on Sunday evening.

Miss Verdi, Toronto, has purchased the dress store of Mr. Roden.

Mrs. William R. Bell fell down stairs Sunday night and fractured her hip. She is resting comfortably now.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Stinson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Toronto, are visiting friends here and in the surrounding country.

The revival meetings held in the Roman Catholic church for the past few weeks have been attracting large congregations.

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FERGUSON LAUNCHES GOVERNMENT CONTROL POLICY

ELECTION DECEMBER 1st.

The Ontario Legislature stands dissolved. The elections will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 1st. Official nomination day will be Saturday, Nov. 20th.

Premier Ferguson will appeal to the people on a policy of Government control of liquor, with local option, the features of which are:

The abolition of prescriptions.

The appointment of a high-class Commission.

A promise that there will be no return of the bars.

The protection of local option areas.

Provision for machinery for consulting people.

Operation of the act with the Commission.

The jailing of "poison" vendors.

The reduction of taxation from liquor revenues.

OTHER FEATURES OF MANIFESTO.

Other features which the Prime Minister stressed in an interview last night issued shortly before 1 o'clock this morning, and on which he bases his claims for return to power at the head of the Conservative Government, are the assurance of a balanced Budget; reduced taxation; motor licenses reduced; amusement tax cut; debt repayment provided; municipal income tax reduced; highways policy extended; progress in Hydro administration; development of the North Country; increased agricultural markets; and an honest Administration.

DAY OF STATEMENTS.

The Prime Minister's statement regarding the election came yesterday in two sections. One was issued, informally, at 7.20 o'clock last evening, after a day of secluded conferences between members of the Cabinet. It contained the announcement of Labor Day changes, several of which have been generally predicted for some time, but one of which was a complete surprise even to private members of the Government; also the announcement of dissolution, and the date of the election.

Hon. W. F. Nickle has resigned as Attorney-General of the Province. His successor, which was tendered three days ago, has been accepted, and Hon. W. H. Price, present Provincial Treasurer, now holds the office which Mr. Nickle vacated. Succeeding Col. Price as Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith, member for North Perth, Dr. Monteith's appointment provived the sensation of this portentious day. Considered one of the chances as a successor to the Treasury post have not been mooted, at least outside the Cabinet. Hon. William Finlayson, former Conservative member for East Simcoe, is Minister of Labor, and Hon. Dr. James Jamieson (South Grey) will be the new Minister without portfolio.

NEW MINISTERS SWORN IN.

All new ministers were sworn in early last evening before His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Cockshutt, who, at the time of his visit to the Parliament Buildings, also signed the order of dissolution which officially put an end to the Ontario Legislature, and makes of House members who were M.P.P.'s yesterday, but ex-M.P.P.'s today.

ADOLPHUSTOWN.

Potato digging and silo filling is the order of the day.

Mrs. H. Neal, the last pastor on this circuit, conducted anniversary services in the U. E. L. church on Sunday last. His many friends were glad to greet him once more. The church was tastefully decorated with fall flowers, and the special music prepared by the choir was a real treat. The dinner on Monday was also a success, being well attended and the programme interesting. The address on his visit to Palestine, given by Mr. J. Ross of Picton was both entertaining and educational. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. L. Hagerman. Mr. Haycock, pianoforte tuner, Mr. Haycock has promised a more lengthy account of his visit on the other side of the Atlantic at a later date.

The W. M. S. was entertained at the home of Mrs. Robert Cousins on Wednesday last.

A grandmothers' meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Diested on Thursday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Vosper and little son, of Kingston, were recent visitors at L. Dorland's.

Mr. and Mrs. Porte, Picton spent last week-end with Mrs. J. J. Dorland.

Rev. A. B. Neal was the guest was the guest of Mrs. T. N. Davis while here for the Anniversary.

Mrs. Rollins, South Bay, was a recent guest at W. D. Robbin's and Miss Edith Allison at C. E. Allison's.

COMING :· EVENTS

SWASTIKA CLUB THANKSGIVING Dance, Masonic Hall, Friday evening, Nov. 5th, 1926.

RESERVE THURSDAY EVENING, October 28th, for an "Old Time Concert" in St. Andrews United Church.

CHICKEN DINNER—The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity United Church will hold a Chicken Dinner, followed by a high class concert, on Friday evening, October 22nd. Tickets 50 cents. 46-b

MINUTES OF LENNOX TEACHES' INSTITUTE

The annual Convention of the Teachers of Lennox was held in the Convocation Hall, N.C.I., Oct. 7th and 8th.

Thursday morning session opened at 10.30. Mr. Corkill, B.A., I.P.S., conducted the opening exercises by reading a short selection from the Bible and leading the teachers in the Lord's Prayer.

The President, Mrs. Fairbairn, of Wilton, called for the minutes of the last meeting. These were written by Miss Ada E. Marr and consisted of a very excellent report of the trip to Ottawa, taken last year in lieu of a regular convention. The report called forth many expressions of appreciation and thanks from the President and Mr. Truesdell and others who had taken the trip.

Communications were then read. Rev. Father O'Connor wrote, expressing sincere regret that he was unable to conduct the opening exercises, but asked the teachers to accept the assurance of his highest regards accompanied with the very sincere wish that the deliberations at the Convention would result in the advancement of education in its highest and truest sense meaning. Mr. Trenouth, Napanee P.S., regretted that Rev. Father O'Connor was unable to be present, as he had been looking forward much another address similar to the very fine one given at a former meeting. The communication last letter be received and filed. Seconded by Mr. J. G. Hamilton, N.H.S.

A letter was read by Dr. Fred J. Conby, Director of Dental Services, Spadina House, Toronto, 5, asking for time to give a talk on Oral Hygiene on the Ontario Dental Health Day, Oct. 20th, and to impress upon pupils the value of regular inspections, sufficient mastication, a proper diet and mouth cleansing. The service adds will gladly donate prizes for essays or art competitions on "Dental Health." Further information may be obtained from Dr. Conby.

A communication from Mr. Chas. E. Fraser, Toronto, asked for resolutions of sympathy and nature passed by this Institute, that delegates for the Northern Trip be appointed, and that the O. E. A. be granted and teachers be asked to join the O. E. A.

Mr. Truesdell moved that the Secretary take the names of the teachers who wished to join O.E. A. and that the usual grant be forwarded. Carried.

A Committee on Resolutions to O.E.A. prepared the following resolutions which were read by Mr. Dennee and accepted: Resolved 1. That dates of the Entrance exam. shall be over before June 30th. That the Normal School starts school at any age under eight years, he or she shall be considered under age and not become under the Attendance Act. 3. That the Normal School term shall be extended to cover two years.

Mr. Trenouth read a communication from "The School" and moved that teachers and new members of this Institute receive The School on the same terms as last year. Seconded by Mr. Corkill. Carried.

A communication from the Ontario Teachers' Federation was read by Mr. Corkill, who explained the aims of the Federation. Fees are one and three dollars respectively. Teachers who wish to join may address Mr. H. E. Kerr, Sec. to Teachers' Federations.

Mr. Corkill read the following report of the Nominating Committee:

Officers of Lennox Teachers' Association, 1926-1927.

Hon. President — Mr. E. J. Corkill, B.A.

President—Mr. J. G. Hamilton, Newburgh.

1st Vice-Pres.—Miss Gladys Shaw, Marysburg.

2nd Vice-Pres.—Miss A. L. Rockwell, Napanee.

Sec.-Treas.—Miss E. Harrison, Napanee.

Executive—Principals of Napanee, Newburgh, Odessa and Harker School, and Mr. Young, Bath, and Miss J. M. Dennee, Bath.

Delegates to O.E.A.—Mrs. Fairbairn and Mr. H. Moore, No. 6, Napanee.

Auditors—Misses Rockwell and Ashworth, Napanee.

Mr. H. Swerdfeger, Richmond, gave the report of the delegate to O.E.A. This included an outline of the different sections and a short summary of some of the speeches.

Mr. Hamilton moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Swerdfeger for his very interesting report, so instructive and pleasing. Seconded by Mr. Corkill. A hearty clapping of the hands showed the teachers' appreciation.

The President's address closed the programme for Thursday a.m. Moved by Mr. Trenouth, seconded by Mr. Hamilton, that Mr. President's address be given a vote of thanks and that the address be printed in the Minutes.

Thursday afternoon session opened at 1.30.

Misses Lenore Black and Catherine Henderson gave two very beautiful instrumental duets.

The Inspector's address, given by Mr. Corkill, as always, was pleasantly anticipated, and received its usual mede of appreciation. At the outset he gave the teachers a hint that it was of no use for an inspector to stay longer than two years in one place, for, if she could not get a husband in that time, she never would.

Mr. Corkill asked new teachers, when filling out the Teachers' Report for Sept. to give the class of the certificate as well as its number. He spoke on Library Grants. Part I. Entrance exam.,

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY REV. C. G. TRUMBULL.
(Editor of The Sunday School Times).

JOSHUA, ISRAEL'S NEW LEADER

Sunday, Oct. 24.—Numbers 27: 18-20; Joshua 1: 1-9.

Golden Text—Be strong and of good courage.....for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest. (Josh. 1: 9).

Joshua was a man who looked

"I made my first call home to-day . . ."

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more at God than he did at circumstances. He was one of those two spies who dared to trust God when the other ten spies were afraid to. He pleaded with Israel at that time, "Rebel not ye against the Lord, neither fear ye the people of the land; for they are bread for us; fear them not" (Num. 14: 9). And now, almost 40 years later, God selected Joshua that it was safe to trust Him. It is never safe to do anything else, though Israel and ourselves have been slow to learn this.

Just before Moses died he asked the Lord to appoint his successor as leader of Israel. The Lord responded by instructing Moses to take Joshua, "a man in whom is the Spirit," consecrate him before the priest and all the congregation of Israel, formally and officially appoint him, and "thou shalt put of thine honor upon him," said the Lord to Moses. (Num. 27: 15-20). Moses was 120 years old at this time, and Joshua was 85, but that was young for men of God in those days. Joshua led Israel successfully and victoriously for 25 years after that, dying at the age of 110 (Josh. 24: 29).

Moses is the outstanding Scriptural type of the law. The law of God, as has been well said, "could never give a single human victory," for the law condemns sinners, it cannot save them. It takes God's grace to do that, and Joshua is a type of Christ, who does for us that which the law could never do. "For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ" (John 1: 17).

The very name Joshua menas Jehovah-Saviour, Je-hoshua. The following note from the Scofield Reference Bible explains this: "Joshua is a type of Christ, the 'Captain of our salvation' (Heb. 2: 10, 11). The more important points are: (1) He comes after Moses (John 1: 17; Rom. 8: 3,4; 10: 4, 5; Heb. 7: 18, 19; Gal. 3: 23-25). (2) He leads to victory (Rom. 8: 37; II Cor. 1: 10; 2: 14). (3) He is our Advocate when we have suffered defeat (Josh. 7:5-9; I John 2: 1). (4) He allots our portions (Eph. 1: 11, 14; 4: 8-11).

Is there any more superble barrier between us and a blessing that God has promised us? This was the situation that confronted Israel as Joshua took command. The barrier was Jordan. But here was the word of the Lord: "Now, therefore, arise, go over this Jordan, thou, and all this people, unto the land which I do give to them." That is God's word to us concerning every difficulty that arises between us and the fulfilment of His promises. He says move straight forward into the difficulties; God will take care of them—and of us.

Another great word that God spoke to Joshua and Israel at that time, equally for us, is this: "Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given unto you." In other words, we must "possess our possessions." They are ours, covenanted to us by God Himself; but we shall not have them in full experience and enjoyment until we take them by faith. Faith is a continually increasing possessing of that which belongs to us.

People sometimes think that the land pledged to Abraham and the Jews is a little land. They do err, not knowing the Scriptures. It is a tremendous tract, running really from Egypt to Mesopotamia; for God said to Joshua that day that it was "from the wilderness (of Sin) and this Lebanon even unto the great river the River Euphrates."

God makes very extreme promises to His children. "There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life.....I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee." Is not that a stupendous promise? But our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ, pledges His word to us that "Sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not under the law but under grace" (Rom. 6: 14), so that we are authorized to say "we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us" (Rom. 8: 37).

Joshua's victorious weapon, exactly like our own, was to be the Word of God. The guarantee of our victory is "the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God" (Eph. 6: 17). It was the same for Joshua: "This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success."

Are we feeding upon the Word of God, the Bible, every day as eagerly and confidently as we partake of food for our bodies? If we are not, how can we hope to have courage or victory or faith or success? For "faith" cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God" (Rom. 10: 17).

If we esteem the words of His mouth more than our necessary food (Job 23: 12), and trust and abide in Him who is the Living Word, we shall live in such continual triumph as we have never dared hope for. For our Joshua is "able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think" (Eph. 3: 20).

Ireland Won.

At a recent melon eating contest held at the annual picnic of the Toronto Irish Regiment, an Irish lad named Shanahan and a colored lad named Johnston were the contestants. The adjutant of the regiment was referee. The boy who ate his portion the most quickly was to win. "Go!" said Capt. Roberts. Inside of ten seconds Johnston held up both hands as a signal that he had finished. A second later up went Shanahan's hands with a shout: "He cheated." "How?" asked the adjutant. "He threw the rind away," answered the Irish boy. "Where's your rind?" asked Captain Roberts. "I ate mine," responded Shanahan. "You are," declared the captain, who then presented the Irish lad with a watermelon nearly as big as himself.

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MINUTES OF LENNOX TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

(Continued from page 1)

New Manuals, Course of Study for 1926-27, Dominion Day, Canada's Diamond Jubilee, Women Teachers' Federation, A Survey of Abnormal Children, and a World Conference next August.

In closing, Mr. Corkill spoke very encouragingly to the teachers, reminding them that it was man's lot to serve, suffer and die; that there is no room for cowards, that teachers as such, others must shoulder their burden cheerfully and hopefully and press forward, looking for results in the distant future.

Mrs. Fairbairn thanked Mr. Corkill for his very helpful address and remarked that he was always a friend to the teacher.

The Misses Denee then gave two very pleasing instrumental duets.

Dr. Sandiford, of the College of Education, University of Toronto, gave an illustrated lecture on Recent Studies in the Psychology of Reading. He showed how, by the use of photographic records of the eye movements, the teacher might reduce the time of learning to read to three months, and thus get the child into the hands of pupils as soon as possible.

Dr. Morden, N.C.I., discussed mistakes made by pupils on Entrance examinations, and how to ed what teachers might do to prevent such errors another time. He offered to provide teachers with outline blank maps for pupils to use in pretising locating places.—an offer which the teachers thought was exceedingly kind.

Thursday evening a programme was given in Convocation Hall, N.C.I., Mrs. Fairbairn occupying the chair. Selections were given by the St. Andrew's Orchestra, Quartettes by Messrs. Caldwell, Waite, Shannon and Vandervoort. After the President's address, Prof. Alexander Ramsay, College, Kingston, gave an illustrated lecture on "Winged Friends and Winged Foes." This was particularly interesting and educative. Miss Ramsay, of Newburg, very kindly gave a vocal solo, and the Misses Denee an instrumental duet. The artists received a very warm vote of thanks.

Friday morning, work began at nine o'clock.

Mr. Laughland, Agricultural Representative for Lennox and Addington, gave a talk on Agriculture and School Fairs. He offered several good suggestions for programmes at School Fairs. The prize lists come out by June 1st, and exhibits in Art and Writing should be sent in before the end of the school term.

This talk was followed by another on Agriculture, by Mr. C.A. Shoemaker, N.C.I. Any information on teaching Agriculture may be received absolutely free, by applying to Department of Agriculture, West Block, Ottawa.

Mr. B. S. Jenkins, B.A., Newburgh, H. S., read a wonderfully interesting paper on History. P. S. His presentation of the subject put it in a new ligt and [illegible] the teacher a new outlook on History.

Dr. Sandiford's second lecture was on Viewpoints in Educational Psychology.

The President expressed her enjoyment of both of Dr. Sandiford's lectures, moved a vote of thanks and that he be made an honorary member of this Association. Carried.

The new president, Mr. Hamilton, on being called to the chair, thanked the teachers for the honour conferred upon the Association of the good work of the former president and the excellent programme prepared. He then gave a helpful talk on Music in P.S., but the teachers were disappointed that time did not permit of the Community singing which Mr. Hamilton was to have lead.

Moved by Miss Rockwell, seconded, that the Auditor's Report, finding Secretary's Books correct, be accepted. Carried.

Moved by Miss Parke, seconded by Miss Hawley, that expenses of this Association be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mrs. Fairbairn, seconded by Mr. Trenouth, that a vote of thanks be tendered the Board of Education, Napanee, the High School Board and Dr. Marden, for the use of the Convocation Hall, N.C.I., also to all who so kindly assisted in any way to make this Convention a success.

Mr. Corkill expressed his pleasure at the good attendance at all meetings, and the good programme.

Mr. Trenouth asked for an expression of the wishes of the teachers as to where the next Convention would be held. The vote showed an almost universal desire to take a trip next year.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

ETTA HARRISON,
Secy—Treas.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS
By Mrs. H. S. Fairbairn.

October 7th, 1926.

Dear Mr. Corkill, Members of the Executive and Fellow Teachers:

I wish to express my appreciation of the honour of being President of the Teachers' Association of Lennox.

I wish to thank Miss Mair for her kindness in acting as Secretary last October and for the splendid report she gave of our long-to-be-remembered trip to the Capital of our Dominion.

On behalf of the Executive and Teachers, I wish to thank the members of the Board of Education and the Principal and staff of the N.C.I., for the use of their Assembly Hall and the freedom to view and enjoy the School.

To the Musical Committee, who have secured such excellent numbers for our Programme, and to those taking part in any way, to help make this Convention a success, I thank you one and all.

The subject of my address is "Looking Forward."

Only six short weeks ago we were all looking forward to the re-opening of our several schools. Some of us were going back to our former schools and pupils, and some would be for the first time in full charge of a school-world under their own management. No doubt you wondered if you would like the school, the pupils and the people of the district in which you would be living.

The pupils were also looking forward to the re-opening of school and I think these were some of the wishes in their little hearts:

(a) Give me a good-looking teacher.

(b) Give me a teacher with a smile.

(c) Give me a teacher who can make things plain.

(d) Give me a teacher who can tell stories.

(e) Give me a teacher who loves me.

The teacher's responsibility is widening as the years go by, and those who have been in the profession for a few years can best realize what progress as been made, and is still being made, in the Science of Education.

The development of public education in the first quarter of the Twentieth Century has been almost marvellous a like progress in the realms of science and mechanics. It is doubtful whether the automobile has been more instrumental in the past twenty-five years than have been some of our school proceedures.

Our new course of Study which has been revised this year is the best one yet produced in Ontario. Let us study it carefully, thoughtfully, ever looking forward and keeping the education in Ontario on a high plane.

This year Mr. Trenouth passed the remark "A nation is no higher than its teachers." How much is involved in that sentence, and what a trust is imposed on the body of School Teachers who have the youth of our land in their care, during the most plastic period of their lives!

People everywhere are realizing the importance of education, the need of good, trained teachers, better schools and more equipment. If the subject is presented to the Trustees in the right way, very few just requests will be refused. What is the challenge of to-day?

Each teacher comes in contact with numerous intimate friends and acquaintances. All these friends and acquaintances are forming their opinion of the schools from what these teachers say and from their demeanour when educational problems are discussed. Every teacher ought to be able to discuss intelligently the educational programme of his town or Province.

The influence of the teacher extends far beyond the classroom. How did we use our influence? Are we making an intelligent use of it? Are we using it constructively? Or could we better use our influence if we had a better grasp on educational problems?

Since teaching is our chosen profession, let us look forward to putting faithful service into our work each day. "Every day is a new beginning," let us only remember our mistakes of the past that we need not commit the same errors again. Let us profit by our successes and go forward, filled with courage and an honest desire to keep bright the lamp of knowledge in the mind of each child entrusted to our care. Our Inspector is the teacher's friend, ready to help and advise wherever possible. But let us remember that we, [illegible] some peculiar difficulty, one of the newest in our Province being the Foreign child. No one can tell just how they would deal with this problem until they have the actual experience. Our duty is to make good patriotic citizens of all and this can best be done through a sympathetic understanding and desire to help.

The aim of true education is to create the feeling of brotherhood among all nations, the love of peace and Industrial development of the world's resources.

True Service is the Teacher's guiding-word.

In our schools and in the Community in which we live, let us each strive to follow the example of the Great Teacher, whose time was spent in doing good, cheering the sad, and comforting the lonely and sick, and in. Whose sight each little child was most precious.

"The law of a king is service,
And the kingliest serve the most."

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Then ye who are sons of promise,
And would royal lineage boast,
Get under the common burden,
Go, brother and brotherless sons,
And win the royal guerdon.
The thanks of comforted ones.
For suffering is numberless,
The sorrowing are a host;
The law of a king is Service,
And the kingliest serve the most."

Make Them Your Friends.

All our poets have been men of deep and firm faith in God, and his goodness, and no boy or girl could spend a more enjoyable or profitable hour than in the company of any of these great and noble men. They are the pioneers of progress, leading men on and up to the serene heights of holiness and Godlikeness, and there they will shine forever like great silent stars in the deep night sky.—Edith M. McKinna.

Apostle's Creed.

The origin of the Apostle's Creed is not fully determined. It is supposed to have been taken from the confession of Peter (Mark 16:16) and from the baptismal invocation which determined the trinitarian order and arrangement. The earliest mention of the Apostle's Creed is found in the works of St. Irenaeus against heresies, He died in 202 A. D., when about 80 years old.

Apostle Spoons.

"Apostle spoons," called also "gossip spoons," were gift spoons given by the sponsors or "gossips," to a child at its christening. They were so-called because each spoon had a figure of an apostle on the handle. Wealthy people gave the whole twelve apostles; those of less means and generosity gave the four evangelists.

"Ice Caves."

The walls of caves often become cooled to such a point in winter or during the frosty nights of spring and fall that the percolating waters freeze. The most celebrated ice cave in the world is that of Dobschau in Hungary, situated in the Carpathians, at an elevation of about 2,700 feet.

TO ECONOMIZE ON GASOLINE

BY ERWIN GREER
(President Greer College of Automotive Engineering, Chicago, Ill.

Should two cars of the same year and model be driven over a hundred mile course each would show a totally different gasoline consumption at the end of the trip.

Why? Because no two drivers operate a car alike. Cooks, for instance, nurses his boat along at a certain steady speed, while Brown likes to cover ground in short bursts. Naturally then, Jones gets more mileage than Brown.

But driving a car economically is just one half the dollar battle. The good driver also sees that all gas joints are tight, that his engine is sweet running and free from carbon and that the carburetor is economically adjusted. And you would be surprised to learn how many drivers in their owner saves a year by paying attention to these little details.

Great progress has been made the last few years in carburetion and intake manifold construction. It is an actual fact that some cars today get a better gasoline mileage on low-grade gasoline than cars achieved on high-test gasoline possible.

The carburetion system is not the only location to look for fuel leaks. If the ignition system is not up to snuff fuel will be wasted. This also includes the battery. There is little use in getting a powerful charging outfit if there is good hot spark to fire it.

Carbon in the engine's cylinders will waste more fuel than half a dozen things possible. Any cutting down the proper output of the engine carbon compels the use of an excessive amount of fuel.

The clutch, if slipping, may become a terrific waster of fuel. Misaligned brakes are another source of power losses. When the wheels are out of correct alignment, a dragging condition is set up and some of the engine's power goes to produce this drag, which, by the way, is one of the most potent causes of tire wear.

Dragging brakes waste power, yet brake adjustment is so simple that there is little excuse for this condition.

Finally, the car owner may conserve his fuel by the way in which he drives his car. Lavish fueling periods eat up a lot of gasoline, that has performed no useful function. The driver should learn to set his throttle and spark on long runs and plug along at a steady gait.

Motor cars waste gasoline dollars poured into the tank.

ARE WOMEN GROWING?

One Professor Says They Are Two Inches Taller Than Formerly.

There comes another piece of evidence in support of Oscar Wilde's theory that nature always copies art, writes Edith Shackleton in the London Standard. An anthropologist professor (they seem to have time for anything in California) has been measuring lots and lots of modern women, and declares that generally speaking, we are two inches taller than we used to be.

This, of course, was bound to happen. So much was clear to anybody who had pondered on the adaptability of Nature, to anybody who had ever heard, for example, that when the first Atlantic cable was laid Nature promptly invented a new sort of sea-sickness to cope with it. For a full century women have been living in a man-sized world, and it is but in the inevitable course of evolution by dint of (Darwin's off-hand sort of evolution is very dowdy nowadays) that feminine legs and arms should have widened out to fit their surroundings.

In the ancient world women had things made to fit them — spinning wheels, nursing chairs, milking stools, baking troughs, and embroidery frames. Even the size of looms was limited by the reach of a woman's arm, and if looms, so cloth, and if cloth, so the very design of garments—which designs persist in peasant costumes down to this day. But with the age of steam and iron men began to build excitedly a public world of their own, and insisted on women had to come out and live in it. A railway train may have a ladies' only compartment (it never ladies' only sized seats. Telephone and witness boxes, airplanes, and taxicabs (think of the delightful small size of a Sedan chair) are man size. So are restaurant tables and chairs, knives and forks. The only attempt to make anything in a restaurant woman-size was the introduction, in certain cheaper grades, of that romantic Byronic affair called a "lady's portion" of food. There is no report that Frenchwomen are growing taller, and this surely must be because French waiters have the humanity to rush such foods when any five-foot-one diner sits at their tables. English and American men, having for so long wisely left their women folk dangling, must now endure the result with fortitude.

Biology does not suggest that the woman who has grown to fit the man-made world will be better for the race. Large and long-limbed women do not take the maternal prizes, are not notably the best transmitters of either brain or brawn.

Burning Truth.

Said the facetious feller: "These golf fanatics get a lot of satisfaction out of reducin' their strokes from last season, but the real joy of life comes from bein' able to reduce the number of tons of coal from the winter before."

Tea Testing.

To ascertain whether artificial coloring matter has been added to tea, place a quantity on white paper and rub with knife to a fine powder. Now brush the paper with a brush, and if any prussian blue has been used there will be little streaks on the paper.

MUSIC FROM ACORNS.

Curious Musical Instrument Used by California Indians.

Following the introduction of the musical saw, which is played between the knees and either tapped with a wooden hammer or vibrated by means of a bow, comes the announcement that Mr. J.P. Harrington, who has been making researches among the older members of Indian tribes in Southern California, has discovered a musical instrument made of acorns.

The acorns are tuned according to their size, and strung together in the order of the musical scale. To play the instrument the Indian musician takes one end of the string in his hand and holds each acorn in turn between his teeth. Then, using the other hand, he swings the string and pulls it taut, causing the acorn to vibrate between his teeth and produce a perfectly clear note.

These Indians are rapidly losing their ancient customs and beliefs through contact with modern civilization. There are among them, however, some who remember the days when the elder tree was worshipped as a kind of "god of music."

A favorite instrument among them was the elderwood flute. A green stick would be cut from the tree and left to dry with the leaves attached in order to draw the sap and prevent it from cracking. Then the wall of the flute was scraped thin in four places and holes were bored by forcing in a glowing twig of the particular size required. Only four holes were made in each flute, and these were placed at various distances so that each instrument had a different scale.

Clear Air In Zululand.

In Zululand the air is so clear that objects of fair size can be distinguished at a distance of seven or eight miles by starlight.

Moths.

Moths do not eat clothes. This is done by the grubs which develop from the eggs the moths have laid.

"Accredited Schools."

An accredited school is a school which has proven that its courses are satisfactory and that its graduates are capable of a certain educational standing which is required by higher institutions. These schools are passed upon by accrediting associations and by the boards of colleges.

Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says a campaign of education sometimes makes him think of when he was a boy and the best the teacher could do didn't prevent the fight in the school yard from being the memorable event of the day.

CANADA'S NORTHLAND.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police Now Stationed at Bache Peninsula.

The announcement that the Canadian Government expedition to the Arctic has established a new Royal Canadian Mounted Police post at Bache Peninsula is of particular interest at this moment, for it serves to emphasize the control of the Dominion over Ellesmere Land, which is so rich in blue fox and other valuable furs, and from which in the past many strangers have taken away rich cargoes without the formality of paying the Canadian Government the duty liable on them.

Bache Peninsula is about fifty miles north of Cape Sabine, where the Canadian expedition under the veteran, Captain Bernier, established a food cache in 1924, and from where two Canadian radio operators established "Farthest North" records for short wave reception last year and in 1924.

Vigorously advertised Arctic expeditions by United States citizens have only been following the route taken year after year by the C. G. S. Arctic in its ordinary routine of duty of taking supplies to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who are on duty among the Eskimos of Ellesmere Land, and bringing relief "Mounties" to the various posts, which are established not only at Pangnirtung, Pond's Inlet and Dundas Harbor, points within the Arctic Circle, but also very much farther north than any expedition has been.

The general public has apparently come to regard the annual Canadian expeditions as so much a matter of course that people will be driven off. A wonderful electrical apparatus is being installed which will operate a burglar alarm of quite a new kind. It sets ringing a great bell, which will resound all over the "City."

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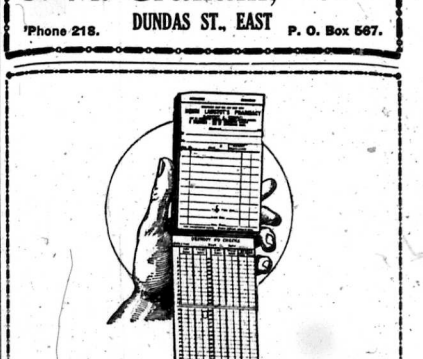

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OUR PACIFIC ISLANDS

HONG KONG, FIJI, AND BORNEO WITHIN THE EMPIRE.

Britain Asked for Hong Kong as Indemnity After Boxer Rebellion—Fiji Came In Voluntarily—Little Known of Interior of Borneo.

The parts of the Empire that are washed by the broad waves of the Pacific Ocean are indeed numerous, writes L. B. Jacks, in the Montreal Weekly Star. If classified and named the list would extend to some thirty-six places or groups of islands. For the purpose of this article it will be ample if we consider Hong Kong, Borneo and Fiji.

Hong Kong has been a portion of the Empire since 1841. The great barren, pirate-infested island was ceded to Great Britain with a sigh of relief from the Chinese monarchs. The territory was then about thirty square miles in extent.

It did not take the British gunboats long to make the spot unhealthy for the pirates, and the Empire turned a spot that has been useless into a powerful naval base for the Pacific fleet. But that is not all.

After the Boxer rebellion in 1898, the various nations that participated in that movement, demanded indemnity in various forms.

They were in gold for the most part; but Great Britain decided to call it square for certain rocks. The Chinaman laughed at the stupid Englishman and cheerfully made him a present of his request.

The British area was thereby extended to almost four hundred square miles. Now let us see what has happened since. The barren rocks have been developed into a highly-fortified and exceedingly prosperous British colony.

The port is free, and trade to the extent of about three hundred million dollars a year is passing across its docks. Victoria, the capital city of Hong Kong, has arisen from the rocks into one of the most beautiful cities in the world. Universities and schools have made it one of the cultured centres of the Far East.

The forlorn district has become a great secure Empire centre for manufacturing, trade and commerce. Sugar is refined, cement and paper manufactured and cotton spun for the Oriental market. John Chinaman now realizes that the joke was on him and thinks that he should have it back. The total population of Hong Kong is slightly under five hundred thousand.

Fiji came into the great world wide Empire in 1874. Unlike those phantom colonies that the Anglophobes would have us believe were grabbed up by "England," Fiji came into the Empire of its own accord in order to escape embarassing payments that were demanded by the United States of America for an alleged insult to one of its trade commissioners.

British settlers had been on the islands since 1804, when a party of escaped convicts and runaway sailors from Australia landed and worked the rich coastal lands. Fiji is a group of some two hundred and fifty islands, of which some eighty are inhabited.

The largest island, Veti Levu, is almost one hundred miles in length and as much as seventy miles across in some places. The natives rank very high amongst the peoples that inhabit the myriad of islands in the tropical Pacific.

Before the white man introduced them to his civilization they were conducting scientific irrigation and leading the water about their farms in bamboo pipes. They cultivated their fields with hoes made of tortoise shell. Their pottery was on a very high order and their mode of conducting life was both cleanly and systematic—with one exception.

They were also the most cannibalistic of all the Pacific peoples. Less than a century ago human flesh was a common dish on the table of the various chiefs. In seventy-five years that has all been done away with.

The present population is about one hundred and twenty-five thousand. Of late years there has been a heavy pouring in of Indian coolie labor to work the sugar and cotton plantations.

The export of bananas and other fruits to New Zealand and Australia is also an important item in the annual trade which is worth about three millions of dollars.

The island colony of Fiji is peculiar in that it is one of the few spots in the Empire where the native population is not only self supporting but actually pays a substantial tax for the maintenance and improvement of public works.

In Borneo the Empire has a vast tract open to the ambitious and the explorer. This vast island, some nine hundred miles in length and about seven hundred miles in width, is jointly under the protection of Great Britain and Holland.

British Borneo and the native states under British protection, are administered by the British North Borneo Company. Gold, diamonds and oil are the objectives that they have been developing for the past few years.

The developments to date are mostly upon the coast; for the interior of the country is covered by vast jungle. The native races are peaceful and industrious and appear to offset somewhat the impression circulated by that ancient circus sideshow gent "The Big Wild Man from Borneo."

The Empire holdings in Borneo will doubtless become a great rubber growing district when sufficient land is cleared. Borneo is the third largest island in the world and has some mighty rivers flowing down from the mountainous region in the centre. These rivers form the means of communication and the native population is mostly upon their banks.

So little is known of the interior of the country that no estimate can be made of its population. It is distinctly a land of the future.

Brooms on Wheels.

A device that, it is claimed, enables a child to operate a four-foot broom, usually requiring a strong man's efforts, has been perfected by a San Francisco man, says a writer in Popular Science Monthly. The broom is mounted on two rubber-tyred wheels the same height as the broom. Pushing down the handle throws the broom on the wheels and lifts it two or three inches off the floor. Lifting the handle sets the broom down on the floor ready to sweep.

The broom is moved easily from one spot to another without lifting it off the floor, and the sweeper can operate it a great deal faster and with much less effort than an ordinary broom.

Origin of the Franc.

The franc, whose "restoration" is the most pressing problem of France, once disappeared altogether. First coined by John II. in 1360, its issue ceased with the reign of Charles VI., its place being taken by the livre. It was not until 1796 that this was converted back into the franc, which became the unit of the French monetary system.

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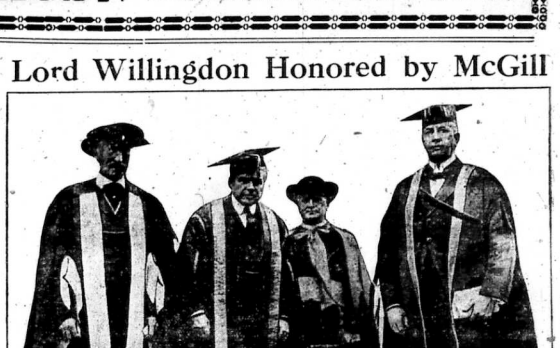

Lord Willingdon, Canada's new Governor-General, was honored by McGill University in Montreal recently, when the honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred upon His Excellency at the McGill University Convocation. His Lordship paid his first official visit to Montreal when he arrived for the ceremony on October 6th. He was met at the Windsor Street Station by E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway and Chancellor of McGill University, and Sir Arthur Currie, Vice-Chancellor of the University.

Crowds lined the short route of the procession along the University campus and the street bordering the University grounds. The vivid colors of the full academic gowns were seen, his Lordship, tall and impressive, in scarlet and white robes and black velvet cap of the LL.D. The honorary degree was conferred by the Chancellor. Lord Willingdon's great services to India and to the Empire were cited by Sir Arthur Currie when he rose to present His Excellency for the degree of Doctor of Laws. When the degree was bestowed the entire assemblage stood while His Lordship signed the book of honor. In a brief speech he said: "I rise for one moment only as a visitor to this University, and by that office, as I understand it, the representative of our beloved Sovereign King George, to express to you, as Chancellor of this university, my sincere appreciation of this high honor that you have done me today in giving me the honorary degree of LL.D."

The University was, continued the Governor-General, taking him much on trust, as they knew very little about him beyond hearsay. "I am only say here and now that I sincerely hope that the future years may show that I am worthy of the trust you have given me this afternoon."

The photograph shows from left to right, Lord Willingdon, E. W. Beatty, Chancellor of the University, Monsignor A. V. J. Piette, Rector of the University of Montreal, and Sir Arthur Currie, Vice-Chancellor, in full academic gowns.

Pa's Son-in-Law

A-1?
I'LL HA' YE KNOW, LASSIE, I ASK ONLY WHAT IS FAIR AN' I DINNA SEE WHY YE CANNA BE AGREABLE?
GEE! I'D SEE'T AS HOW SANDY'S HAVIN' WORDS WITH HIS BRIDE-TO-BE?
IN-LAW TAKING
AY, MON, I DID HA' WORDS WI' 'TH' LASSIE AN' I HA' A GOOD MIND T' CALL 'TH' WEDDIN' OFF! SHE HA' BEEN INSISTIN' THAT WE GET 'TH' LICENSE NOW INSTEAD O' WAITIN' 'TIL 'TH' WEDDIN'-DAY!
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10.30 a.m.—Public Worship. Sermon, "The Business of the Church and Church Business."

11.45 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Classes.

7 p.m.—Public Worship. Sermon, "Busyness."

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Credit Sale.

Mr. Jas. Bruce has given instructions to the undersigned auctioneer to sell by Public Auction at his farm, 2nd concession of Adolphustown, Dorland, near U.-E. L. Cheese Factory, on Monday, November 1st, 1926, at 1 o'clock p.m., a large quantity of Farm Stock and Implements. See bills for list. Usual terms.

H. W. GALLAGHER, Auctioneer.

CONCERT AT TRINITY

Dance in Oddfellows' Temple.

The second of the series of social evenings being held in the Oddfellows' Temple (formerly the Harshaw block) will take place on this Wednesday evening, October 20th. These social evenings have become very popular and are looked forward to with much pleasure by its patrons. Oddfellows and their invited friends are made cordially welcome.

Young People's Rally.

Napanee is to have the honor of entertaining about two hundred young people of the United Church of Canada for three days, Nov. 3rd, 4th and 5th. They will come from all parts of Eastern Ontario, from points as far distant as Uxbridge on the west, and Prescott on the east. The three days will be given over to a study of the problem of the young people and the part they play in the life of the nation. Leaders in young people's work will be present, to address the gatherings and lead in discussion.

Grand Bazaar.

In aid of St. Vincent de Paul Church, Deseronto, will be held in the church hall, on Tuesday and Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 19th, 20th and 21st. Following is the programme :

Tuesday and Wednesday ,Oct. 19th and 20th.—3.00-6.00 p.m., Sale of fancy work, home-made cooking. Afternoon Tea. Admission free ; 7.30-11.00 p.m., Concert, sales, games, etc. Admission, one Drawing Ticket, 25c.

Wednesday—11.00 p.m., Grand Drawing.

Thursday, Oct. 21st.—8.30 p. m., Waltz Orchestra. Admission $1.00 a couple ; extra lady, 50c.

CHURCH, FRIDAY, OCTOBER

Oddfellows' Mass Meeting.

A mass meeting of all the Oddfellows in this district will be held in Napanee on Friday evening, October 29th. Complete arrangements have not yet been completed, but it is expected that this meeting will bring together the largest gathering of Oddfellows and Rebekahs ever witnessed in this vicinity. The principal speaker of the evening will be Grand Master Ladue, who is being accompanied by Grand Secretary Wm. Brooks. It is expected that Oddfellows will be present from Napanee, Kingston, Belleville, Odessa, Deseronto, Yarker, Tamworth, Enterprise, Harrowsmith and Parham. Rebekahs will also be present from Kingston, Belleville, Yarker and Napanee. Further details will be announced next week.

Broadway Nifties Coming to Town.

The next big event in Napanee is the Musical Comedy DeLuxe, "Broadway Nifties," with fourteen dainty, dazzling damsels at the local theatre next Wednesday and Thursday. Singing, dancing and comedy specialties are interspersed throughout. The Comedians, Russ Lavery and Walt Wright, are as funny as any in the business and provide wholesome comedy. Miss Edith Grossman, prima donna, possesses a rich soprano voice and renders her songs in a manner that will live in your memory. Harold Cliff, that dashing youth with his silver toned tenor, will captivate young and old. Babs Westwood, the singing and dancing soubrette, pleases everywhere. As a special added attraction Jazzy Toots" Middleton, Ontario's Charleston Champion, will give a special exhibition. Miss Middleton won a big silver cup against 200 contestants at Pantages Theatre, Toronto. A big local Charleston Contest will be staged with prizes for the winners. Apply for entry at Theatre.

22ND, 6 P.M. TICKETS 50C.

Summer Necessities.

Screen doors, window screens, lawn hose, coal oil stoves, electric irons.

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Rev. R. J. Merriam, Pastor

Anderson Church : Sunday School, 10 a.m. ; Public Worship, 11 a.m.

Greina Church : Sunday School 10.30 a.m. : Golden Jubilee Anniversary Service, 7 p.m.

Rev. E. Farnsworth speaker for the day.

ADOLPHUSTOWN UNITED CHURCH.

Rev. H. Stainton, Pastor.

11 a.m.—Adolphustown.

3 p.m.—Hayburn.

7.30 p.m.—Sillsville.

Hayburn Anniversary, Sept. 26th. Rev. G. McQuade, B.A., speaker.

Quarterly Board meeting at Conway Sept. 28th.

ST. MARY MAGDALENE CHURCH

Services of S. Mary Magdalene Church :

Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, M. A., Vicar.

8.00—Holy Communion.

10.30—Morning prayer.

12.00—Sunday School. Children's Day Service.

7.00—Evening prayer.

Cheese Board.

189 white and 1137 colored cheese were boarded on Saturday. All sold at 16 5-16c.

Walk at Odessa.

The council for the township of Ernesttown is having a new cement walk built in the village of Odessa. For years the walk adjoining the hotel has been in very bad condition. It will cost considerable money to build the walk on account of the quantity of stone required to make the fill.

Won a Cup.

It was announced on Saturday morning that James McFarlane, Odessa, was the winner of the Canadian Bank of Commerce Cup for being the exhibitor winning the largest number of points in the stock competition in connection with the Kingston Industrial Fair. The Cup, which is of silver, will now become the property of the winner, as he won it last year.

Credit Sale.

The undersigned will offer for sale by Public Auction, on Lot 12, 5th concession of Richmond, two miles west of Selby, on Tuesday, October 26th, 1926, at 1 o'clock sharp, a large quantity of farm stock and implements. Usual terms.

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Napanee Poultry Association.

The regular meetings of the Napanee Poultry Association will be resumed again in the autumn holidays, on Wednesday, October 20th. Besides hearing a report of the delegates for the Ontario Poultry Conference, correspondence for the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, re "Egg Grading Act," will be considered. A full attendance of members and those interested in qoultry, is requested.

A Birthday Event.

The home of Mrs. Peter Bristol, Piety Hill, was the scene of a very happy gathering on Wednesday afternoon when a few of her friends assembled to extend felicitations, it being the 84th anniversary of her natal day. Those preset, including her son, Mr. Harry J. Bristol, and wife, were Mrs. A. T. Harshaw, Mrs. W. S. Herrington, Mrs. G. P. Carr, Mrs. Willet Dolfer, Mrs. J. S. Ham, Miss Julia Checkley, Miss Jane Ham and Miss Jean Harshaw. The event was in the nature of a surprise and was given in Mrs. Bristol's honor by her son Mr. Harry J. Bristol and wife. A handsome cake on which was emblazoned 1842-1926 adorned the table and Napanee's grand old lady was the recipient of many beautiful gifts from her many friends and they are legion in Napanee. At the close of this very delightful function light refreshments were served. Mrs. Bristol is at present enjoying splendid health and her friends extend to her their very best wishes on this the occasion of her 84th birthday.

SILLSVILLE.

Among those who attended the Ladies' Aid convention held at Yarker were Rev. H. Stainton and Mrs. Stainton, Mrs. Chapman, of Conway, Mrs. Robert Merritt, of Sillsville.

Mr. Andrew Mgee has installed a radio set.

Mrs. M. B. White is improving.

Mrs. Gertrude Love, Milford, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Edwin Magee.

Miss Ruth Mallory, Adolphustown, spent Sunday last with Miss Mildred Rikley.

Miss Clara Purvis, Kingston, is a visitor at Mrs. John Magee's.

Miss Elsie Magee, Enterprise, was a recent visitor at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rikley and Miss Annabel Magee attended the W.M.S. Convention at Selby.

Miss Genevieve Smith, Bloomfield, spent last week-end with Mrs. Alexander Magee.

Miss Mildred Rikley attended the Johnston-Armstrong nuptials on Saturday morning last at St. Alban's Church, Adolphustown.

Mrs. Charles Brooke is visiting her father in Napanee.

A number from here attended the anniversary services at Adolphustown, Oct. 10th and 11th. Rev. H. B. Neal, of Wooler, took charge of the Sunday services. The fowl dinner and entertainment on Monday night was a decided success. Mr. James Porte, of Picton, gave a splendid account of his trip to Palestine, and Mr. J. L. Haycock, of Adolphustown, gave a short, interesting talk of his visit to the Old Country.

Mrs. William Charters and Miss Elma White were recent callers in the neighborhood.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. R. Tanton, Pastor.

10.00 a.m.—Class meeting.

10.30 a.m.—Public worship.

11.35 a.m.—Church School and Bible classes.

6.30—Organ recital.

7.00—Evening worship.

The pastor will preach at both services.

Monday, 7.30—Y. P. S.

Wednesday, 7.30—"An Hour of Bible Study."

Friday, Oct. 22nd, Ladies' Aid Chicken Dinner and musical program.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

The first games of basketball in the Bay of Quinte Girls League were played in the new gymnasium of the Napanee Collegiate Institute on Saturday afternoon between teams from Trenton and Napanee.

The senior game was called first and was very close, and the resulting score at the end of the first period was 14 to 12 in favor of Napanee. But the visitors in the second half succeeded in bringing up the score to 25 to 24 in their favor. The Napanee seniors, though, are to be congratulated on their good playing and with another week's practice should make a better showing in the next game with Picton on Saturday. The Napanee junior team was weak and the visitors had an easy win. The score was 23 to 12 in favor of Trenton. Miss Alive Roy, of Queen's University, Kingston, refereed the game in a very satisfactory manner. After the game, lunch was served to the visiting teams. The following is the line-up :

Trenton Seniors — Forwards, Nora Baines, Elsie Black ; centres, Corma Bowen, Kathleen Caldwell ; defense, Margaret Croft, Lula Paro.

Napanee Seniors — Forwards, Kathryn Gleeson, Marjorie Daly ; centres, Mildred Rikley, Eileen Harrison ; defense, Marion Robin, Grace Bates.

Trenton Juniors — Forwards, Mary Bellyou, Claire McFear ; centres, Vivian Neil, Anna Galna ; defense, Grace Bellyou, Eileen Filion.

Trenton Spares—Cora Hutton, Ruth Reddich, Lenore Broatch.

Napanee Juniors — Forwards, Agnes Cavanaugh, Helen Grange; centres, Dorothy Wilson, Ruth Mallory ; defense, Marion Grass, Marion Douglas.

Napanee Spares—Mabel McHoull, Marion Embury, Grace Harrigan.

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COLLEGIATE SPORTS

On Friday afternoon last the track events, usually held on the same day as the Collegiate Field Day sports, which had to be postponed owing to the condition of the Driving Park track when field day sports were held) were conducted at the Driving Park, under beautiful weather conditions, and with a fair crowd of spectators in attendance. Following are the results :

BOYS' EVENTS.

Senior.

100 yards—D. Anderson, F. Ballard; M. Corkill. Time, 11½ sec.

220 yards—D. Anderson, F. Ballard, M. Corkill. Time, 26 seconds.

Half-mile—G. Herrington, D. Wright, F. Ballard. Time, 2 min., 35 sec.

120 yard Hurdles—A. Wilson, D. Anderson, M. Corkill. Time, 17 seconds.

Intermediate.

100 yards—J. Grange, L. Merritt, C. Walters. Time, 12½ sec.

220 yards—J. Grange, C. Walters, L. Merritt. Time, 27 sec.

Half-mile—Stafford, L. Merritt, tie ; J. Moffat. Time, 2 min., 42 sec.

120 yards Hurdles—J. Grange, C. Walters, L. Merritt. Time, 18 seconds.

Junior.

100 yards—H. Robinson, N. Kennedy, R. VanAlstyne. Time, 13 sec.

220 yards—H. Robinson, N. Kennedy, F. Oliver. Time, 29 seconds.

Quarter-mile—H. Robinson, N. Kennedy, F. Oliver. Time 1 min., 14 sec.

120 yrd Hurdles—H. Robinson, R. VanAlstyne, D. Alkenbrack. Time, 21 sec.

Senior Champion — Douglas Anderson, 26 points.

Intermediate Champion—Jack Grange, 23 points.

Junior Champion—Harry Robinson, 15 points.

School Championship Shield—Harry Robinson, scoring highest number of points.

Inter-Form Relay—Form 2-B, Glen Herrington, Durwood Conwan, Don Davern, Jack Grange.

GIRLS' EVENTS.

Junior—50 yards dash : Gladys Parrott, Mabel Jackson, Marion Thompson.

Intermediate—50 yard dash ; Helen Grange, Helen Drake, Irene Fox.

Senior—100 yards dash : Hazel O'Neil, Mildred Rikley, H. Schell.

Interform Relay—Senior Commercial, M. Douglas, H. O'Neil, J. Clarke.

Junior Champion — Marjorie Daly, 18 points.

Intermediate Champion—Helen Grange, 25 points.

Senior Champion—Hazel O'Neil 26 points.

Girls' Form Championship Shield—Form IV, 29 points.

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Jesus hath died that I might live,
Might live to God alone ;
In Him eternal life receive,
And be in spirit one.

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WONDERLAND

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

Despite the fact that he is First National's comedy king, Harry Langdon has just completed his new feature length comedy, "TRAMP, TRAMP, TRAMP."

Also the hit of the season, The Musical Comedy DeLuxe, "Broadway Nifties," 14 dainty, dazzling damsels, all Charleston champions.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Fox Films dramatic version of Vaughan Kester's sensational novel of New York life, "THE JUST AND THE UNJUST." Miss Livingston is starred in this production.

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Carnaby's Late Courtship

By JUSTIN WENTWOOD

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Carnaby had come East after fifteen years in California. Those in the village who remembered him as a thriftless ne'er-do-well, were impressed to the point of revising all their old opinions. Carnaby's clothes, his motor-car, his bank balance, reputed to exceed a hundred thousand, made him a prominent figure. Only—Carnaby was nearly fifty!

"He's come home to settle down and marry," drawled Cy Butts, the hardware man. "Reckon it's time. Reckon it's that gal of Ebe Fisher's he's sweet on. Remember how he used to take her ma buggy-riding?"

The Fishers had once been the leading family, but they had gone downhill. After his wife's death Ebe Fisher grew shiftless. Their place was mortgaged. And Mollie Fisher was reported to be engaged to Harry Lucas, who had never done any good for himself.

Soon gossip grew more insistent. Carnaby was building a house. He had the Jenks' place, adjoining Fisher's. And he was often over to Fisher's.

Then it became definitely known that Mollie and Carnaby were to be married.

"Wonder how Harry Lucas is taking it?" speculated Cy Butts to his cronies.

Harry Lucas was taking it very ill indeed. But Carnaby knew nothing about all this. If Mollie's cheeks grew paler, he attributed it to the need of a change. The new house was going up apace. It was completed by the time the day for the wedding was fixed.

Carnaby loved Mollie with all the ardor of a man returning to the scene of his boyhood, who sees in his new sweetheart the image of the old one. He had been desperately in love with Agnes Fisher. Mollie was frightened, amazed at his devotion.

"When we're married," said Carnaby, "you shall have everything in the world. No need to worry any more about things. And I'm going to take you over to our house next week. I think it will please you."

Mollie smiled rather wanly. That was the first time Carnaby wondered whether anything was amiss.

That evening Anice Lawson enlightened him. Anice was the village busybody; she stopped him in the street.

"Oh, Mr. Carnaby," she gasped, "I am so glad to hear about you and Mollie Fisher. Everyone's saying what splendid luck it is for her, and what a good thing it is she isn't going to marry that shiftless Harry Lucas.

"What, didn't you know?" she added. "Oh, yes, there was a lot of talk about her and Harry, but I guess it didn't amount to much. You know how folks will talk, don't you?"

Carnaby went up the hill, deep in thought. It was growing dark, so dark that the couple at the edge of the fir plantation failed to hear him, and Carnaby stopped involuntarily and listened.

"Yes, it must be good-by, Harry," he heard Mollie say tearfully. Mr. Carnaby is the best man in the world, and I would never hurt him."

"You're selling yourself for your father!" cried Harry impetuously. "It isn't right, Mollie, and you know it."

And there followed an impassioned pleas which Carnaby heard with amazement. He had never guessed, never suspected. . . . And at the end he heard Mollie's impassioned good-by.

He thought more deeply than ever as he made his way home. Youth and youth, youth and age, the eternal triangle! Ebe Fisher had been nearly twice his age when he took Agnes from him. It was the old story.

But the roles were reversed. Now it was his turn to win the girl he loved from youth, to make her his.

No one would have guessed the struggle in his mind that evening as he sat placidly in the Fishers' parlor—the old man nodding beside the fire, Mollie looking up at Carnaby and listening. Before he left he made an appointment to meet her at the entrance to the pine house on the following afternoon at five, to show it to her.

But on the next afternoon Carnaby was not there. Only the door stood invitingly open, and, tempted by the sight of the interior, Mollie went in.

Steps came toward her; she shrank back in fear as she saw Harry Lucas.

"Mollie, what does it mean?" he cried hoarsely.

"What, Harry? Oh, you mustn't come here! Mr. Carnaby will be here any moment!"

"Don't you know?" He stared at her incredulously. "He's left for the house—a marriage gift to her and Harry, with the lands . . . no intention of returning. . . ."

She broke into passionate weeping as Harry's arms enfolded her.

Holidays In the Air!

A married couple recently made history by taking what is probably the first aerial holiday tour of Britain. Their craft was a Moth light plane, which was ideal for the purpose, as it is so easily garaged.

The tour covered a number of beauty spots in the West and ended in London. Suitable landing-places were found fairly easily. At Aberystwyth and in North Devon landings were made on the sands, while a field and golf links were used on other occasions.

Petrol and oil costs worked out at a penny a mile, so aerial touring should be no more expensive than motoring. Both holiday-makers were extremely satisfied with the experiment. They enjoyed some wonderful cloud effects, and the charm of bird's eye views of the countryside. There was no dust, petrol fumes, or "road-hog" to interfere with their pleasure.

BABY'S OWN SOAP
Best for Baby Best for You

THE JANGAMS OF INDIA.

These Religious Beggars Sometimes Amass Fortunes.

In ancient Greece, beggars, like strangers, were supposed to be under divine protection.

The ease with which they earn a living in India suggests that the same may be said of the Indian fraternity. As an instance of the fortunes they sometimes amass reference may be made to "the Witch of Ghoom." This venerable beggar woman, was for many years, one of the "sights" of Darjeeling. Till Dame Nature removed her from our midst, says a Calcutta writer. It then transpired that she had accumulated a large sum of money which she, very thoughtfully had willed for the construction of a dharamsala, or rest house for travellers.

The beggars of India are known as Jangams. They are sometimes domesticated in Mathe, or monasteries, and, otherwise, are vagrants living on alms.

The sect are devotees of Siva, the third God of the Hindu Trimurti or triad, and their essential characteristic lies in the wearing of the symbol of their religion on some part of the dress or person. The type is of a small size made of copper or silver, and is commonly worn suspended in a casket round the neck, or sometimes tied in the turban.

Jangams very often smear their foreheads with ashes, wear necklaces and carry rosaries. The brass pieces on the turban, as far as can be gathered, are merely worn for adornment, but the feathers and bell have a special significance. The feathers are those of the peacock—a bird sacred to the Hindus, and their brightness adds to the attractiveness of the wearer. The bell, on the other hand, is put to three uses: to attract people, as an accompaniment in singing, and to receive alms. Apparently, it is rung to good account, judging from the very noticeable support given to religious mendicants in the East.

Content Themselves With Hoping.

The brave ought to know, if they don't, that while they are battling for a principle that thousands are secretly hoping for their success who are too timid to openly help.—Exchange.

What a Pun.

A witty man used to keep a nutmeg-grater on his table in order to be able to say when a great man was mentioned. "There's a greater."

Unlucky Bill Burgess

By CLARA DELAFIELD

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"That stranger, is Bill Burgess. Ever hear of Burgess' luck? Kind of satirical, seeing that he's the unluckiest cuss anywhere for miles around the Three Forks district. See that brand-new automobile of his? Ran into a ditch with her first day, and into a fence the second, and—"

Bang! A tire exploded with a sound like a cannon shot. The car stopped. Portly Bill Burgess got down and took a look underneath. A stout, red-faced woman in the car began talking to him.

"What did I tell you, stranger?" continued the Oldest Inhabitant. "Bill's luck's sort of proverbial around these parts. If he buys sheep, we know scab's coming. If he plants alfalfa, we know we're in for a rainy season. When Bill puts his name on a subscription list for shares, the town backs off the map. However, it's this way:

"Some one'd sold Bill a pup of a gold mine in hot old days, when Three Forks wasn't on the map, to exact it was—yes, that's the Palaroosh, sure enough, running 12 feet deep in dry weather, but—well, s'pose you just listen.

"Three Forks was a mining community, and the desert was the real goods. Miles and hundreds of miles of sun-scorched alkali. And the Palaroosh did left its mark, all right, about a million years before and curved 50 miles due east and then south. But there was gold in the hills and—Bill Burgess took out his claim.

"Paid all he had and did the formation. You see, they'd salted the rock and, of course, the analysis showed three ounces to the ton. Bill thought his luck was made.

"Minnie Fagot was all right, but, naturally, she couldn't love a poor man, and she couldn't wait for Bill forever. She put it up to him flat.

"'Bill,' she says, 'I like you a lot. I ain't hankering after a husband that'll never be able to send out the washing. Now, you've got six months to make good on your new claim, after which it's to be final, one way or the other.'

"Bill went off into the hills in fairly good spirits, considering. He takes a look at his gold mine. It was sold to him as the Mother Lode. That's to say, it was situated in a sort of hollow basin where there'd been a sort of lake about a million years ago, out of which the Palaroosh ran down where it runs now.

"Bill didn't stop long looking about him, but hitched his burro to a rock and started operations. The first day he essayed about three ounces to the ton and thought his fortune was made. The second day he came down to fifty pennyweights. That was the end of where they'd blowed the gold dust into the rock with a shotgun. The third day there was just color. The fourth day there wasn't even that.

"Bill saw he'd been sold a pup, but he had a vein of doggedness in him and he went on day after day, believing against all the evidence that some day he'd strike the Mother Lode. He blasted and dug and washed and cradled, but he never got no color but once, and that was mica.

"From time to time somebody'd pass and carry the news down to Minnie. At the end of three months Minnie's patience was pretty near exhausted. She sent word up to Bill to ask if he'd made his fortune yet, and, if not, would he release her.

"Bill began to git mad. He sat on a rock in the cursed sun, looking at the ruin he'd made out of perfectly good hill stuff, and he realized his luck was out and he'd never be anything but the unluckiest cuss that ever trod God's footstool. And if ever a man saw red, Bill did then.

"'I'll find that Mother Lode or bust,' he said. And he took all the dynamite cartridges he'd got left—there was seven of them—and he put 'em in the deepest hole he could find, filled it in, lit the fuses and ran.

"A minute later there was a roar that shook Three Forks. And a sort of earthquake followed. And suddenly Bill was running for his life, faster than he'd ever run before, and millions of tons of water was pouring down the old channel toward Three Forks.

"You see, stranger, in some way he'd struck the springs that fed the Palaroosh, and diverted the stream, or blown the old channel open, and there was a sort of natural dam in the basin, so that the water could be shut off or turned on at will. The poor boob got just what he wasn't looking for. And even then it took him days to see that his water rights meant money to him."

The portly man rose from beneath the auto. The red-faced woman was still talking. Presently the car moved on.

"Yep, stranger, that's Minnie," said the Oldest Inhabitant. "He's got what he wasn't looking for there, too, I reckon. Reckon there's times when Bill Burgess wishes he hadn't let off that dynamite. But you never can tell. Wonder if they'll git home without losing their chassis and engine on the way."

A Citizen of Means.

"What's become of the village blacksmith?"

"He's operating a motor repair shop now."

"I don't suppose he sings in the village choir any more?"

"No. He's joined a country club and plays golf on Sundays."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

"For Lovers Only."

At Eccleshield, a village in the Sheffield (England) district, two lanes have been set aside by the local authorities solely for the use of courting couples. In future no raucous motor horns are to disturb the peacefulness of these sylvan byways, and only the nodding beech and oak trees, the mossy banks, and the quietly grazing cattle will be witnesses of love's unfolding.

All honor to Eccleshield! Let us sincerely hope that the example of its sympathetic councillors will soon be followed in many another village and town.

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LUMBER MINING.

Great Forest Was Submerged Seven or Eight Thousand Years Ago.

Digging in the earth for minerals is no new thing, but it is not generally known that mining for timber has been carried on as an important and lucrative business. In a wide swamp near Chicago quantities of white oak logs are being recovered, the remains of a great forest that was submerged seven or eight thousand years ago. Although the outer layers of wood have decayed, some chemical agent in the soil has made the remainder hard and durable and given it a delicate color, for which it is much prized. Gold prospectors on the Charlotte Plains in Australia recently discovered in the bed of a river long since dried up, a valuable deposit of timber known as the sea-oak. Many of the logs unearthed had the appearance of having been cut and trimmed by human agency. This wood is also noted for its toughness, and is employed in the manufacture of ornaments and toilet articles. In the peat bogs in Ireland deposits of bog-oak are frequently encountered. This substance is jet black and exceptionally hard, and provides a profitable industry for the inhabitants, who fashion it into ornaments, pipes, crosses, and so on.

A New Dye.

A new dye, called neo-cyanin, that may prove extremely valuable to entomologists in photographing hitherto invisible infra-red rays, has been developed recently by a great American photographic concern, says Popular Science Monthly. The ordinary photographic plate is sensitive only to blue light and the shorter invisible ultra-violet rays. It can therefore be sensitized to other colors by the use of dyes.

The new dye makes it sensitive to light rays of 1-22,000 of an inch, while the longest rays possible to the naked eye are 1-30,000 of an inch. Plates treated with the new dye may prove a great aid to spectroscopy, for the spectroscope shows the light rays which are in the invisible infra-red region of stars that hitherto the astronomer has been unable to distinguish clearly.

Light From the Firefly.

The light of a firefly is declared to be 11-400 of a candlepower. To photograph it a specially constructed camera was used, the firefly being held between fingers. Good specimens flashed every three seconds until tired, when fresh ones were substituted. From two to six hours were required to get a satisfactory photograph. Cells in the rear end of the abdomen appear to secrete a chemical substance which, when oxygen comes in contact with it, gives out the light.

The female firefly after nightfall sits on a grass stalk or a leaf waiting for a beau to come along. The male, passing by, flashes light, and the lady responds with an answering flash. It is mating time. The firefly is not a fly, but a beetle.

Clockwork Wireless.

A Japanese inventor, Ushichiro Tokumi, has perfected a novel clock that switches on the wireless at any predetermined time and also turns it off in the same convenient way.

Volt's Centenary.

It is now nearly 100 years since the death of Volta, the father of every volt, voltage, and volt-meter in existence.

Electric Flood Lighting.

A big diamond mine in the Transvaal which is worked night and day has at last solved the problem of successful lighting during the dark hours.

Arc lights were tried at first, but the blasting upset their delicate mechanism, and they had to be abandoned. Now, however, the engineers have installed electric flood lighting, which has proved satisfactory.

The mine extends for about 27 acres, and the diamond-bearing earth has been dug out to a depth of about 1,600 feet. The flood lights are housed in fourteen huts on the rim of the mine, and their rays can be projected to working surfaces 900 to 1,500 feet away.

An Old Bridge.

A perfectly-preserved wooden bridge found at Werden (near Dortmund) is estimated to be 5,000 years old, and to date back to the Ice Age.

Was Puzzled.

The teacher found that one small boy had written all the numbers up to ten correctly, but instead of the figures "11" he had written "1."

"Can't you remember eleven, Jimmie?" she asked.

"P-p-please, miss," replied Jimmie, "I don't know on which side of the figure 1 to put the other 1."

Loud-Speaker Ban.

Reading (England) Town Council have passed a bylaw making it an offence for any person to operate, to the annoyance of residents, a wireless loud-speaker in the street or any public place.

The London Zoo.

There are more than 3,000 animals in the London Zoo.

CANADA'S FRUIT.

Thirty Per Cent of Our Apples Must Be Exported.

Fruit exported from Canada last year had a value of $8,385,500; which is about the average value of the annual exports for the past three years. Apples in a natural state contributed about three-fourths of this total, namely, 1,384,493 bar'els worth $6,210,186. Of these exports of apples last year 1,290,000 barrels, worth $5,743,000 went to Great Britain, and the remainder went to United States, Bermuda, British South Africa, China, Denmark, Germany, Newfoundland, New Zealand and Scandinavia. The exports to Great Britain however formed the chief part of the trade.

The annual productoin of apples in Canada ranges from 2,700,000 to 4,000,000 barrels. The average export is about 1,200,000 barrels a year. The possibilities of apple production in Canada have scarcely been touched, for the present commercially producing areas might be more intensively cultivated but could also be duplicated. A greater export trade developed with the United Kingdom would mean greater opportunities in the Dominion for apple production, a phase of agriculture in which settlers from the British Isles have shown a special interest and engaged in so extensively.

The official board organized to direct the marketing of Empire products in Great Britain has been appointed with G. C. Colo, C. Amery, Secretary of State for the Dominions, as chairman. Seven members will sit on the Board as representatives of the British Isles whilst the Dominions and the Colonies will have one member each. W. A. Wilson, agricultural product representative for Canada in the United Kingdom, has been appointed Canadian member of the Board.

The main report of the Imperial Economic Committee starts with a review of the general position of fruit in Imperial trade, the striking statement being made that in the year 1924 the amount of money spent on imported fruit in the United Kingdom was $240,000,000, or more than three times the average annual expenditure on imported fruit supplies during the five-year period ending 1913. Of the total value of fruit imported in 1924, no less than $190,000,000 was paid away to countries outside the Empire. In 1924 each person in the United Kingdom consumed, on an average, about 100 apples, 70 oranges, and 30 bananas. Of the 100 apples consumed, 38 were supplied by the United States, 25 by the United Kingdom itself, 19 by Canada, and 8 by Australia and New Zealand.

It is pointed out that owing to the large production of apples in Canada, and the comparatively small population—and more than nine millions—Canada must export at least 30 per cent. of her total production in order that apple-growing may pay the growers.

PECULIAR ACCIDENTS.

You Have to Suppress a Smile When You Hear How They Happened.

As doubtless you know, the favorite place to which a street accident case is conveyed, pending the arrival of the ambulance or a doctor, is a chemist's shop, if one is near. Often, when such cases have been brought to my establishment, says an Old Country chemist, I've had to suppress a smile when I've heard how the accident happened.

Last week a lady was led into her nose was swollen enormously, and bleeding badly. Why? She had been standing in a crowd listening to a political speaker. Next to her was a man who got very excited. Of a sudden he shot forth his arm to shake his first at the speaker, and—smote the lady hard on the nose!

Another lady was brought in by a policeman. Her jaw, as I saw at once, was dislocated. A man selling something or other had made a very amusing introductory speech, and she had laughed so much that she put her jaw out!

A case with a humorous touch was that of a young man whom a constable brought in, to escape the usual crowd. Hurrying up the outside step of a bus, a stout man, descending, slipped and fell on him, driving the young man's bowler hat right down to his nose. He had it off—the hat, I mean—and his nose was entirely skinned. Where's the humor? Well, it came out that the stout man—he had come into the shop to express his regrets, and had given the young man his card—was a hatter! And we all smiled when, delicately touching his nose, the young man said, "Well, I hope you don't do this sort of thing to get business!"

Glove's Peculiar Significance.

It is curious to read in old histories that instead of paying rent, as we do now, land was sometimes held from the kings by payment annually of a pair of gloves, together with a knight's service. The manor of Woking, in Surrey, was one of many so held under the Plantagenet kings. The explanation is that gloves, in that case, were regarded as a pledge or a promise. The glove represented the hand and to give a glove really amounted to saying: "Here's my hand upon it," which means that the speaker will do his share of the bargain.

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The Strength of the Pines

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"You ought to know first how hard I have tried to reach you. Of course, I didn't try openly except at first—the first years after I came here, and before I was old enough to understand." She spoke the last word with a curious depth of feeling and a perceptible hardness about her lips and eyes. "I remembered just two things. That the man who had adopted you was Newton Duncan; one of the nurses at the asylum told me that. And I remembered the name of the city where he had taken you.

"You must understand the difficulties I worked under. There is no rural free delivery up here, you know, Bruce. Our mail is sent from and delivered to the little post office at Martin's store—over fifteen miles from here. And some one member of a certain family that lives near here goes down every week to get the mail for the entire district.

"At first—and that was before I really understood—I wrote you many letters and gave them to one of this family to mail for me. I was just a child then, you must know, and I lived in the same house with these people. They were just baby letters from—from Linda-Tinda to Bwoyaboo—letters about the deer and the berries and the squirrels—and all the wild things that lived up here."

"Berries!" Bruce cried. "I had some on the way up." His tone wavered, and he seemed to be speaking far away. "I had some once—long ago."

"Yes. You will understand, soon. I didn't understand why you didn't answer my letters. I understand now, though. You never got them."

"No. I never got them. But there are several Duncans in my city. They might have gone astray."

"They went astray—but it was before they ever reached the post office. They were never mailed, Bruce. I was to know why, later. Even then it was part of the plan that I should never get in communication with you again—that you would be lost to me forever.

"When I got older, I tried other tacks. I wrote to the asylum, enclosing a letter to you. But those letters were not mailed, either.

"Now we can skip a long time. I grew up. I knew everything at last and no longer lived with the family I mentioned before. I came here, to this old house—and made it decent to live in. I cut my own wood for my fuel and kept one cow. I also tried to please me by cutting it for me. I wouldn't use it at first. Oh, Bruce—I wouldn't touch it!"

Her face was no longer lovely. It was drawn with terrible passions. But she quieted at once.

"At last I saw plainly that I was a little fool—that all they would do for me, the better off I was. At first, I almost starved to death because I wouldn't use the food that they sent me. I tried to grub it out of the hills. But I came to it at last. But, Bruce, there were many things I didn't come to. Since I learned the truth, I have never given one of them a smile except in scorn, not a word that wasn't a word of hate.

"You are a city man, Bruce. You don't know what hate means. It doesn't live in the cities. But it lives up here. Believe me, if you ever believed anything—that it lives up here. The most bitter and the blackest hate —from birth until death! It burns out the heart, Bruce. But I don't know that I can make you understand."

She paused, and Bruce looked away into the pine forest. He believed the girl. He knew that this grim land was the home of direct and primitive emotions. Such things as mercy and remorse were out of place in the game trails where the wolf pack hunted the deer.

"When they knew how I hated them," she went on, "they began to watch me. And once they knew that I had fully understood the situation, I was no longer allowed to leave this little valley. There are only two trails, Bruce. One goes to Elmira's cabin on the way to the store. The other encircles the mountain. With all their numbers, it was easy to keep watch of those trails. And they told me what they would do if they found me trying to go past."

"You don't mean—they threatened you?"

She threw back her head and laughed, but the sound had no joy in it. "Threatened! If you think threats are common up here, you are a greener tenderfoot than ever I took you for, Bruce. The law up here is the law of force. The strongest wins. The weakest dies. Wait till you see Simon. You'll understand then—and you'll shake in your shoes."

The words rested upon him, yet he didn't resent them. "I've seen Simon," he told her.

She glanced toward him quickly, and it was entirely plain that the quiet tone in his voice had surprised her. Perhaps the faintest flicker of admiration came into her eyes.

"He tried to stop you, did he? Of course he would. And you came, anyway. May heaven bless you for it, Bruce!" She leaned toward him, appealing. "And forgive me what I said?"

Bruce stared at her in amazement. He could hardly realize that this was the same voice that had been so stern with passion a moment before. In an instant all her hardness was gone and the tenderness of a sweet and wholesome nature had taken its place. He felt a curious warmth stealing over him.

"They meant what they said, Bruce. Believe me, if those men can do no other thing, they can keep their word. They didn't just threaten death to you—they would have met it, too. Badly as I wanted to make them pay before I died, I would have gladly run that risk."

"You are amazed at the free way I speak of death. The girls you know, in the city, don't even know the word. They don't know what it means. They don't understand the sudden end of the fight—the darkness—the cold—the awful fear that it is! It's a reality here, something to fight against every hour of every day. There are just three things to do in the mountains—to live and love and hate. There's no softness. There's no middle ground." She smiled grimly.

"I've lived with death, and I've heard of it, and I've seen it all my life. If there hadn't been any other way, I would have seen it in the dramas of the wild creatures that go on around me all the time. You'll get down to cases here, Bruce—or else you'll run away. These men said they'd do worse things to me than kill me—and I didn't dare take the risk.

"But once or twice I was able to get word to old Elmira—the only ally I had left. She was of the true breed, Bruce. You'll call her a hag, but she's a woman to be reckoned with. She could hate too—worse than a she-rattlesnake hates the man that killed her mate—and hating is all that's kept her alive. You shrink when I say the word. Maybe you won't shrink when I'm done.

"This old woman tried to get in communication with every stranger that visited the hills. You see, Bruce, she couldn't write, herself. And the one I managed to get a written message down to her, telling her to give it to the first stranger to mail—one of my enemies got it away from her. I expected to die that night. I wasn't going to be alive when the clan came. The only reason I didn't was because Simon—the greatest of them all and the one I hate the most—kept his clan from coming. He had his own reasons.

"From then on she had to depend on word of mouth. But at last—just a few weeks ago—she found a man that knew you. And it is your story from now on."

They were still a little while. Bruce arose and threw more wood on the fire.

"It's only the beginning," he said.

"And you want me to tell you all?" she asked hesitantly.

"Of course. Why did I come here?"

"You won't believe me when I say that I'm almost sorry I sent for you." She spoke almost breathlessly. "I didn't know that it would be like this. That you would come with a smile on your face and a light in your eyes, looking for happiness. And instead of happiness—to find all this!"

She stretched out her arms to the forests, Bruce understood her perfectly. She did not mean the woods in the literal sense. She meant the primal emotions that were their spirit.

"To know the rest, you've got to go back a whole generation. Bruce, have you heard of the terrible blood-feuds that the mountain families sometimes have?"

"Of course. Many times."

"These mountains of Trail's End have been the scene of as deadly a blood-feud as was ever known in the West. And for once, the wrong was all on one side.

"A few miles from here there is a wonderful valley, where a stream flows. There is not much tillable land in these mountains, Bruce, but there, along that little stream, there are almost five sections—three thousand acres—of as rich land as was ever plowed. That tract of land was acquired long ago by a family named Ross, and they got it through some kind of grant. I can't be definite as to the legal aspects of all this story. They don't matter anyway—only the results remain.

"These Ross men were frontiersmen of the first order. They were virtuous men too—trusting every one, and oh! what strength they had! With their own hands they cleared away the forest and put the land into rich pasture and hay and grain. They raised great herds of cattle and had flocks of sheep too.

"It was then that dark days began to come. Another family needed by the father of the man I call Simon—migrated here from the mountain districts of Oklahoma. But they were not so ignorant as many mountain people, and they were killers." Perhaps that's a word you don't know. Perhaps you didn't know it existed. A killer is a man that has killed other men. It isn't a hard thing to do at all, Bruce, after you are used to it. These people were used to it. And because they wanted these great lands—my own father's home—they began to kill the Rosses.

"At first they made no war on the Folgers. The Folgers, you must know, were good people, too, honest to the last penny. They were connected, by marriage only, to the Ross family. They were on our side clear through. At the beginning of the feud the head of the Folger family was just a young man, newly married. And he had a son after a while.

"The newcomers called it a feud. But it wasn't a feud—it was simply murder. Oh, yes, we killed some of them, Folger and my father and all his kin united against them, making a great clan—but they were nothing in strength compared to the usurpers. Simon himself was just a boy when it began. But he grew to be the great power, the leader of the enemy an before he was twenty-one.

"You must know, Bruce, that my own father held the land. But he was so generous that his brothers who helped him farm it hardly realized that possession was in his name. And father was a dead shot. It took a long time before they could kill him."

The coldness that had come over her words did not in the least hide her depth of feeling. She gazed moodily into the darkness and spoke almost in a monotone.

"But Simon—just a boy then—and Dave, his brother, and the others of them kept after us like so many wolves. There was no escape. The only thing we could do was to fight back—and that was the way we learned to hate. A man can hate, Bruce, when he is fighting for his home. He can learn it very well when he sees his brother fall dead, or his father—or a stray bullet hit his wife. A woman can learn it, too, as old Elmira did, when she finds her son's body in the dead leaves. There was no law here to stop it. The little sentiment of law that was in the valleys below regarded it as a blood-feud, and didn't bother itself about it. Besides, at first we were too proud to call for help. And after our numbers were few, the trails were watched—and those who tried to go down into the valleys never got there.

"One after another the Rosses were killed; and I needn't make it any worse for you than I can help—by telling of each killing. Enough to say that at last no one was left except a few old men whose eyes were too dim to shoot straight, and my own father. And I was a baby then—just born.

"Then one night my father—seeing the fate that was coming down upon them—took the last course to defeat them. Matthew Folger—a connection by marriage—was still alive. Simon's clan hadn't attacked him yet. He had no share in the land, but instead lived in the house I live in now. He had a few cattle and some pasture land farther down the Divide. There had been no purpose in killing him. He hadn't been seen in the entire battle.

"One night my father left me asleep and stole through the forests to talk to him. They made an agreement. I have pieced it out, a little at a time. My father deeded all his land to Folger.

"I can understand now. The enemy clan pretended it was a blood-feud only—and that it was fair war to kill the Rosses. Although my father knew their real aim was to obtain the land, he didn't think they would dare kill Matthew Folger to get it. He knew that he himself would fall, sooner or later, but he thought that to kill Folger would show their cards—and that would be too much, even for Simon's people. But he didn't know. He hadn't foreseen to what lengths they would go."

Bruce leaned forward. "So they killed—Matthew Folger?" he asked.

He didn't know that his face had gone suddenly stark white, and that a curious glitter had come to his eyes. He spoke breathlessly. For the name—Matthew Folger—called up vague memories that seemed to reveal great truths to him. The girl smiled grimly.

"Let me go on. My father deeded Folger the land. The deed was to go on record so that all the world would know that Folger owned it, and if the clan killed him it was plainly for the purposes of greed alone. But there was also a secret agreement—drawn up in black and white and to be kept hidden for twenty-one years. In this agreement, Folger promised to return to me—the only living heir of the Rosses—the lands acquired by the deed. In reality, he was only holding them in trust for me, and was to return them when I was twenty-one. In case of my father's death, Folger was to be my guardian until that time.

"Folger knew the risk he ran, but he was a brave man and he did not care. Besides, he was my father's friend—and friendship goes far in the mountains. And my father was shot down before a week was past.

"The clan had acted quick, you see. When Folger heard of it, before the dawn, he came to my father's house with a rifle and shotgun. Before another night was done he was killed too."

The perspiration leaped out on Bruce's forehead. The red glow of the fire was in his eyes.

"He fell almost where this fire is built, with a thirty-thirty bullet in his brain. Which one of the clan killed him I do not know—but in all probability it was Simon himself—at that time only eighteen years of age. And Folger's little boy—something past three years old—wandered out in the moonlight, to find his father's body."

The girl was speaking slowly now, evidently watching the effect of her words on her listener. He was bent forward, and his breath came in gasps, whispering gusts. "Go on!" he ordered savagely. "Tell me the rest. Why do you keep me waiting?"

The girl smiled again—like a sorceress. "Folger's wife was from the plains country," she told him slowly. "If she had been of the mountains she might have remained to do some killing on her own account. Like old Elmira herself remained to do—killing on her own account! But she was from cities, just as you are, but she—unlike you—had no mountain blood in her. She wasn't used to death, and perhaps she didn't know how to hate. She only knew how to be afraid.

"They say that she went almost insane at the sight of that strong, brave man of hers lying still in the pine needles. She hadn't even known he was out of the house. He had gone out on some secret business—late at night. She had only one thing left—her baby boy and her little foster-daughter—little Linda Ross, who is before you now. Her only thought was to get those children out of that dreadful land of bloodshed and to hide them so that they could never come back. And she didn't even want them to know their true parentage. She seemed to realize that if they had known, both of them would return some time—to collect their debts. Sooner or later, that boy with the Folger blood in him and that girl with the Ross blood would return, to attempt to regain their ancient holdings, and to make the clan pay!

"All that was left were a few old women with hate in their hearts and a strange tradition to take the place of hope. They said that some time, if death spared them, they would see Folger's son come back again, and assert his rights. They said that a new champion would arise and right their wrongs. But mostly death didn't spare them. Only old Elmira is left.

"What became of the secret agreement I do not know. I haven't any hope that you do, either. The deed was carried down to the courts by Sharp, one of the witnesses who managed to get past the guard, and put on file soon after it was written. The rest is short. Simon and his clan took up the land, swearing that Matthew Folger had deeded it to them the day he had procured it. They had a deed to show for it—a forgery. And the one thing that they feared, the one weak chain, was that this secret agreement between Folger and my father would be found.

"You see what that would mean. It would show that he had no right to deed away the land, as he was simply holding it in trust for me. Old Elmira explained the matter to me—if I get mixed up on the legal end of it, excuse it. If that document could be found, their forged deed would be obviously invalid. And it angered them that they could not find it.

"Of course they never filed their forged deed—afraid that the forgery would be discovered—but they kept it to show to any one that was interested. But they wanted to make themselves still safer.

"There had been two witnesses to the agreement. One of them, a man named Sharp, died—or was killed—shortly after. The other, an old trapper named Hudson, was indifferent to the whole matter—he was just passing through and was at Folger's house for dinner the night Ross came. He is still living in these mountains, and he might be of value to us yet.

"Of course the clan did not feel at all secure. They suspected the secret agreement had been mailed to some one to take care of, and they were afraid that it would be brought to light when the time was ripe. They knew perfectly that their forged deed would never stand the test, so one of the things to do was to prevent their claim ever being contested. That meant to keep Folger's son in ignorance of the whole matter.

"I hope I can make that clear. The deed from my father to Folger was on record. Folger was dead, and Folger's son would have every right and opportunity to contest the clan's claim to the land. If he could get the matter into court, he would surely win.

"The second thing to do was to win me over. I was just a child, and it looked the easiest course of all. That's why I was stolen from the orphanage by one of Simon's brothers. The idea was simply that when the time came I would marry one of the clan and establish their claim to the land forever.

"Up to a few weeks ago it seemed to me that sooner or later I would win out. Bruce, you can't dream what it meant! I thought that some time I could drive them out and make them pay, a little, for all they have done. But they've tricked me, after all. I thought that I would get word to Folger's son, who by inheritance would have a clear title to the land, and he, with the aid of the courts, could drive these usurpers out. But just recently I've found out that even this chance is all but gone.

"Within a few more weeks they will have been in possession of the land for a full twenty years. Through some legal twist I don't understand, if a man pays taxes and has undisputed possession of land for that length of time, his title is secure. They laugh to win me, but it looks as if they had won, anyway. The only way that they can be defeated now is for that secret agreement—between my father and Folger—to reappear. And I've long ago given up all hope of that.

"There is no court session between now and October thirtieth—when their twenty years of undisputed possession is culminated. There seems to be no chance to contest them—to make them win me. And that is all but the light before that time. We've lost, after all. And only one thing remains."

He looked up to find her eyes full upon him. He had never seen such eyes. They seemed to have sunk so deep into the flesh about them that only lurid slits remained. It was not that her lids were partly down. Rather it was that the flesh-sacks beneath them had become charged with her pounding blood. The fire's glow was in them and cast a strange glamor upon her face. It only added to the strangeness of the picture that she sat almost limp, rather than leaning forward in appeal. Bruce looked at her in growing awe.

But as the seconds passed he seemed no longer able to see her plainly. His eyes were misted and blurred, and they were empty of tears as Linda's own. Rather the focal point of his brain had become seared by a mounting flame within himself. The glow of the fire had seemingly spread until it encompassed the whole wilderness world.

"What is the one thing that remains?" he asked her, whispering.

She answered with a strange, terrible coldness of tone. "The blood atonement," she said between back-drawn lips.

CHAPTER X

When the second hand of the watch in his pocket had made one more circuit, both Bruce and Linda found themselves upon their feet. The tension had broken at last. Her emotion had been curbed too long. It broke from her in a flood.

She seized his hands, and he started at their touch. "Don't you understand?" she cried. "You—you—you are Folger's son. You are the boy that crept out—under this very tree—to find him dead. All my life Elmira and I have prayed for you to come. And what can you do? You—"

Her face was drawn in the white light of the moon. For an instant he seemed dazed.

"Do?" he repeated. "I don't know what I'll do. I'm—I'm—"

"You don't!" she cried, in infinite scorn. "Are you just clay? Aren't you a man? Haven't you got arms to strike with and eyes to see along a rifle barrel? Are you a coward—and a weakling; even of your mother's blood, to run away? Haven't you anything to avenge? I thought you were a mountain man—that all your years in cities couldn't take that quality away from you! Haven't you any answer?"

He looked up, a strange light growing on his face. "You mean—killing?"

"What else? To kill—never to stop killing—one after another, until they are gone! Till Simon Turner and the whole Turner clan have paid the debts they owe."

Bruce recoiled as if from a blow. "Turner? Did you say Turner?" he asked hoarsely.

"Yes. That's the clan's name. I thought you knew."

Bruce understood now his unprovoked attack on the little boy when he had been taken from the orphanage on trial. The boy had been named Turner, and the name had been enough to recall a great and terrible hatred that he had learned in earliest babyhood. The name now recalled it again; the truth stood clear, at last. It was the key to all the mystery of his life;

"Not Two, but Three," She Corrected, in the Hollow Voice of Uncounted Years.

it stirred him more than all of Linda's words. In an instant all the tragedy of his babyhood was recalled—the hushed talk between his parents, the oaths, the flames in their eyes, and finally the body he had found lying so still beneath the pines. It was always the Turners, the dread name that had filled his baby days with horror. He hadn't understood then. It had been blind hatred—hatred without understanding or self-analysis.

As she watched, his mountain blood mounted to the ascendency. A strange transformation came over him. The gentleness that he had acquired in his years of city life began to fall away from him. The mountains were claiming him again.

His voice was cold and hard when he spoke.

"Then you and I are no relation whatever."

"None."

"But we fight the same fight now."

"Yes. Until we both win—or both die."

Before he could speak again, a strange answer came out of the darkness. "Not two of you," a croaking old voice told him. It rose, shrill and cracked, from the shadows beyond the fire. They turned, and the moonlight showed a bent old figure hobbling toward them.

It was old Elmira, her cane tapping along in front of her; and something that caught the moonlight lay in the hollow of her left arm. Her eyes still glowed under the grizzled brows.

"Not two, but three," she corrected, in the hollow voice of uncounted years. In the magic of the moonlight it seemed quite fitting to both of them that she should have come. She was one of the triumvirate; they wondered why they had not missed her before. It was farther than she had walked in years, but her spirit had kept her up.

She put the glittering object that she carried into Bruce's hands. It was a rifle—a repeating breech-loader of a famous make and a model of thirty years before. It was such a rifle as lives in legend, with sights as fine as a razor edge and an accuracy as great as light itself. Loving hands had polished it and kept it in perfect condition.

"Matthew Folger's rifle," the old woman explained, "for Matthew Folger's son."

And that is how Bruce Folger returned to the land of his birth—as most men do, unless death cheats them first—and how he made a pact to pay old debts of death.

To be Continued.

Measuring Fixed Stars.

For many years it was thought impossible to measure the fixed stars. The ablest astronomers, with the best glasses, tried and failed. When the final triumph came it was not some fiery orb that attracted the most attention to itself whose distance from our sun was found, but an insignificant sixth magnitude star not far from Denebi, which had only 61 times, 61 Cygni, for a name.

Old Boston Burying Grounds.

After the oldest burying grounds in Boston were forsaken for newer ones, they were allowed to go uncared for, and in these years of neglect stones were stolen, moved about, broken and lost. In Copp's Hill burying ground, up the street from the Old North church, stones were filched to fill in holes in chimneys and prop up doorsteps around the neighborhood.

The "Romance Languages."

The romance languages are the languages sprung from Latin and bearing its impress strongly in vocabulary and grammar. It is usual to speak of seven or eight romance languages, though such a division is not always scientifically accurate. These are Roumanian, Romansh, (Rhetoric, Ladin), Italian, French, Provençal, Spanish and Portuguese, to which may be added Catalan, Franco-Provençal, Sardinian and Dalmatian.

Expansion of Water.

While nearly all substances are heavier in solid form than in the liquid state, ordinary ice is lighter than water and will float in it. This is due to the fact that as it approaches the freezing point water begins to expand, and when it freezes, it expands so as to increase its volume about one-ninth. This expansive force is sufficiently strong to break glass and earthen pitchers and to split open great rocks in the crevices of which water has frozen.

The Dog Watch.

"Dog-watch" is a corruption of "dodge-watch." On board ship there are two sorts of watches—the "long-watch" of four hours, and the "dog-watch" of two hours, but, strictly speaking, a watch means four hours. The dog-watches are two short watches, one from 4 to 6 in the morning and the other from 6 to 8 in the evening, introduced to "dodge" the routine, or prevent the same men always keeping watch at the same time.

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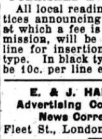

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RAIL TRAFFIC INCREASES

Analytical Tables Compare Showing Made by Two Railways.

Increased density of traffic is thrown into relief as the underlying cause of this year's increased earnings by the big Canadian railway companies in the bulletin just published by the Bureau of Statistics dealing with the first half of the year. The average train load on Canadian railways as a whole, this bulletin states, was increased by 42.9 revenue tons, and the revenue per train mile was increased by 32 cents, or four per cent. The number of passengers per train increased from 61.3 to 63.1, and the revenues per passenger train mile from $88 to $49. The number of train miles per mile of road operated rose from 1,575 to 3,034. These figures just quoted are for the month of June. For the first half of the year the gross revenues of all the roads included in the monthly reports showed an increase of $26,035,-106, or 13.6 per cent., for an increase of 17.3 per cent. in the revenue ton miles. For the same period the number of passengers carried showed an increase of two per cent., and the passenger miles an increase of 8.5 per cent. Operating expenses were increased by $6,022,421, and net revenues by $18,013,684, or over 117 per cent.

The monthly figures published from the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific and the Canadian National Railways are not computed on exactly identical basis, but the report of the Bureau of Statistics gives the results of the two railway systems for the first half of the calendar year on a common basis. According to this report, the gross operating revenue of the Canadian National Railways for the six months was $130,998,008; the operating expenses, $106,123,347; the net operating revenue, $14,856,660, and the operating income, $11,810,373. For the Canadian Pacific Railway the gross operating revenues were $84,-783,410; operating expenses, $70,-684,137; net operating revenues $14,099,273, and operating income, $13,956,687. These returns include the results on the lines of both companies in the United States as well as Canada.

In the analytical tables published by the Bureau there are some further comparisons between the two roads, though these are limited to the Canadian lines. The number of tons of revenue freight moved one mile per mile of line in June on the Canadian National was 1,997, and on the Canadian Pacific, 2,066. The operating revenue per mile of road operated on the Canadian Pacific was $37.69, with operating expenses of $30.53; on the Canadian National the operating revenue was $37.10 per mile of road, with operating expenses of $28.57. The average operating expenses per train mile on the Canadian National was $2.91; on the Canadian Pacific, $3.26. The average number of tons per loaded freight car was 24.6 on the Canadian National, and 25.1 on the Canadian Pacific. The number of employes on the Canadian National was 93,809, and on the Canadian Pacific, 69,851. The ratio of the payroll to operating revenues on the Canadian National was 60.3 per cent., and on the Canadian Pacific 53.3 per cent.

What Makes the Waves.

Did you know that the sea was not salt originally? Fresh-water rivers have made it so. The earth is full of salt, and rivers, as they wind along, pick up a considerable quantity, hold it in solution, and tip it into the sea. None is evaporated, and that is why "the briny" is becoming more briny every year. The gold that is in seawater—extraction is too costly—got there in exactly the same way as the salt.

And what of waves? No greater natural ocular deception exists. Waves don't move forward at all. Their sole motion is vertical—up and down. And the cause of waves is not the tide, but the wind. The latter, pressing unequally on the surface of the sea, depresses one part more than another; every depression causes a corresponding elevation, and the joint result is — waves. A tide is merely a wave of the whole ocean. The attraction of the moon raises the water to a certain height, and then it sinks.

Britain has to thank the encircling sea for from seven to nine degrees of extra warmth during the winter. Islands are always much warmer than continents as there is a continual radiation of heat from the sea, mitigating the natural cold of winter.

The Cardinal Was a Bird.

An elderly lady of a somewhat severe aspect entered a bookstore, and explained to the clerk that she wanted a book for entertainment on a train journey—preferably fiction.

"Well," he said, "here is one which is very popular at present—The Kentucky Cardinal."

"I do not believe I'd care to read about a religious dignitary," she said.

"But, madam," explained the dealer, "this Kentucky Cardinal was a bird."

"His private life means nothing to me," she answered, with a deep chill in her voice. "If you have no chaste works that you can recommend, I'll go elsewhere."

Dear, Dear!

"Why don't you strike Easycoin for a loan?" suggested Slopay. "I did," sighed Hardup. "But he told me that I had struck him centaless."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

No Time for "Common" Lunch.

Buddy was eating as hearty a lunch as usual, when sister said: "Buddy, why are you eating so much common lunch? Don't you know we're going to a party this afternoon?"

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Truth.

Truth is more of a stranger than fiction.—Arkansaw Thomas Cat.

Queer Places for Money.

Folk who distrust banks, like the Sydney, Australia, woman who buried £12,000 in gold in her garden, are apt to choose strange hiding-places for their wealth. A few years ago a police court case revealed the fact that a London woman kept her money hidden in her mother's grave in a suburban cemetery.

Quite a number of persons seem to put trust in the security of cannon as banking-places. In a gun in a fort near Shoreham was found a parcel of jewellery, and in an old Crimean gun at Liverpool, a boy discovered a roll of notes, wrapped in a soldier's discharge papers, to the value of over £100.

She Knew Him.

Brown (between the dances): "There's a lady over there who has been watching you for over so long; she'll be asking for an introduction soon.

James: She won't—she's my wife!

Undue Credit.

Salesman—"No, you can't fool me. Do you think I've been riding in sleepers all my life for nothing?"

Ticket Agent—"I shouldn't be surprised."—Jack o' Lantern.

$2,500 CASH PRIZES.

Can You Find the Twins?

No, they are not all twins! Two and only two are identical, and are the twins you are asked to find. Can you? To be sure, the 18 pictures all look alike; but look closer. How about their hats? There are other differences, too. Read the clues. Only two girls are exact duplicates. They are Twins—can you find them?

----CLUES----

At first glance all of the pictures look alike. But upon examination you will see that almost every one differs in some way from all the others. In some the difference may be in the fabric or band on the brim of the hat or in the brimming on the hat or the collar. Or, some may wear necklaces, or ear-rings, or both. Only two are exactly alike. No, it's not as easy as it looks. You must search carefully.

Just look closely—make sure that you have the twins, then send in your answer. Somebody who finds the right twins is going to win a big prize. Make that "somebody" be YOU.

First Prize $2,000.00

MAXIMUM AWARD

This is one of the greatest array of Cash Prizes that has ever been offered in a Mail and Empire Puzzle Contest. That's what it is, folks—and you can be a winner. The prizes range from $2 to $50 and from $50 to $2,000. All prizes will be awarded in time to reach the winners by Christmas Day.

Think of it! You can win as much as $2,000. Yes, sir, $5,000 in cash prizes may be won in this interesting puzzle contest, and will be awarded promptly after December 11th. There will be 50 winners and the First Prize, the golden opportunity, $2,000 IN CASH. Won't that be a wonderful Christmas Gift? In the event of ties for any prize, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

1,000 points wins First Prize. We will give you 950 points for finding the Twins. Immediately upon receipt of your correct answer, we will send you particulars of a word-building contest, in which, if successful, you earn the final 50 points required to win a $2,000.00 First Prize or one of the 49 other Cash Prizes.

MAIL YOUR ANSWER TO-DAY

Now, find the Twins. Write the numbers in the coupon below, fill in your name and address, and mail it to the Puzzle Manager, Room 207, THE MAIL AND EMPIRE, Toronto, Started for the Big First Prize.

Puzzle Mgr., Room 207, THE MAIL AND EMPIRE, Toronto, Canada

50 CASH PRIZES
Listed below are the maximum prizes you can win.

1st Prize	$2,000
2nd Prize	$1,000
3rd Prize	$700
4th Prize	$200
5th Prize	$200
6th Prize	$100
7th Prize	$100
8th Prize	$100
9th Prize	$100
10th Prize	$100
11th to 50th Prizes, inclusive	$10

TWIN PUZZLE COUPON
Puzzle Manager, Room 207
THE MAIL AND EMPIRE, Toronto, Canada.

Numbers ..... and ..... are the twins that I have found. If these are correct please give me the 950 points and tell me how to gain the final 50 points to win First Prize.

Name .....

Postoffice ..... Province .....

Street or R.F.D. No. .....

COUNTY OF LENNOX AND ADDINGTON

TREASURER'S SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES

County of Lennox and Addington,
TO WIT:

By virtue of a Warrant under the hand of the WARDEN and the seal of the County of Lennox and Addington bearing date the 29th day of July, A.D., 1926, and to me directed, commanding me to levy upon the Lands mentioned in the following list for the Arrears of Taxes due thereon and the Costs of Sale as therein set forth, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that unless the said Arrears and Costs are sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said Lands, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the aforesaid Arrears of Taxes and Costs at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Napanee by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of NOVEMBER, A.D., 1926, and the following day if necessary, beginning at the hour of TEN O'CLOCK in the forenoon and in compliance with the "Assessment Act."

W. J. SHANNON,
County Treasurer of Lennox and Addington.

County Treasurer's Office, Court House, Napanee, July 29th, 1926.

TOWNSHIP OF DENBIGH

Owner or Party Assessed	Lot	Con.	Acres	Years	Arrears	Costs	Total
Caldwell Estate	8	E.R.	100	1922-25	$19.38	$2.74	$22.12
Ruth Snider	4. & 5		200	1923-3-4-5	129.36	5.99	135.35

TOWNSHIP OF ABINGER

Deseronto Land Co.	2	W.R.	100	1923-4-5	25.56	2.89	28.45
S. S. Chuthom	1, 2-3	4	200	1923	12.71	2.07	15.78
Hugo Brown	3 & 4	9	200	1923-4-5	87.65	4.70	92.35
John Flake	9 & 10	13	200				
	17	14	100				
	15	15	100	1922-3-4	104.58	5.62	110.20
	15	15	100	1921 to 5	44.22	3.16	47.38
C. M. Clark	17	15	100	1921 to 5	77.74	4.45	82.19
William Holmes	17 & 18	15	200	1922-3-4-5			

TOWNSHIP OF KALADAR

G. A. MacGillivray	E ½ 6	1	100	1922-3-4-5	20.68	2.77	23.45
Shirley Haines	12 & 13	2	400	1923-4-5	43.26	3.59	46.85
T. L. Kipp	E ½ 9	5	128½	1923-4-5	21.41	2.79	24.20
Joseph Grey	9	6	70	1923-25	7.46	9.96	17.42
W. J. and Mary Foster	Pt 10	7	8½	1923	3.10	2.50	5.60
Joseph Grey	10	8	188	1922-25	24.90	2.88	27.78
J. H. MacDonald	Pt 27	8	1	1922-25	21.17	2.78	23.95
Marshal Presley	E ½ 26	8					
	E ½ 27	8					
	N w ¼ 26	9	250	1921	54.44	4.12	58.56
George Garry	E ½ 27	9	100	1921-2-3	25.26	2.89	28.15
Noah Kimmerly	E ½ ½ 26	9					
	Pt 25	10	125	1921	39.13	3.48	42.61
William Woodcock	N ½ 10	10					
	N ½ 11	10	100	1922	12.58	2.82	15.40
Electa Thompson	6	11	200	1923-4-5	31.01	3.03	34.04
Deseronto Land Co.	N ½ 2	8	80	1923-4	4.73	2.50	7.23

TOWNSHIP OF ANGLESEA

Mary Spencer	12	R.A.	100	1922-23	38.81	3.23	42.04
Shirley Cummins	22 & 23	R.A.	200	1922-25	50.15	3.76	53.91
Boonie Hawley	26	R.A.	100	1923	4.00	2.50	6.50
Deseronto Land Co.	27	R.A.	100	1922-4-5	15.26	2.64	17.90
George McGarvey	5	6	100	1922	10.26	2.51	12.77
Excelsior Life	29	8	100	1923-4-5	7.99	2.50	10.49
Walter Burch	Pt 6	10	2	1923-5	2.77	2.50	5.27
Fred Stir u	Pt 6	10	2	1923	1.61	2.50	4.11
Sidney Ballen	Pt 5	10	5	1923-25	5.73	2.50	8.23
Excelsior Life	E ½ 32	17	100	1923-4-5	7.99	2.50	10.49

TOWNSHIP OF EFFINGHAM

F. W. Griffith	Point in Wes-lemoon Lake	16	5	1922-23	173.79	6.60	180.39
William Hartwig	do	16	3¼	1922	50.34	3.51	53.85

TOWNSHIP OF SHEFFIELD

Charles LaBarge	N ½ 29	1	100				
	S ½ 30	1	100	1922	14.70	2.87	17.57
Chance Clark	E ½ 14	1	100	1923	19.48	2.99	22.47
Ruth P. McKim	Pt of the E. pt of lot 4, Village lot 16, Ballen-lane			¼ ac 1922-3-4-5	4.05	2.50	6.55
	N ½ 5	14	100	1923-4-5	67.29	3.94	71.23
J. A. Seybold et al	E ½ 9	14					
Fred Hawley	E ½ 10	14	200	1922-4-5	21.74	3.05	24.79
	24	15	198	1923-4-5	18.14	2.71	20.85
Deseronto Land Co.							

VILLAGE OF ERINSVILLE

S. E. Side Tullow St.	1	4	¼ ac	1922-3-4-5	1.43	2.50	3.93
E. Side Ottawa St. South	1	4	¼ ac	1922-3-4-5	2.07	2.50	4.57
E. Side Ottawa St. South	2	4	¼ ac	1922-3-4-5	2.67	2.50	5.17

TOWNSHIP OF ERNESTTOWN

Emma Galloway	Pt 30	1	¾ ac	1922-3-4-5	63.72	3.85	67.57
A. D. VanSlyck	Pt 5	3	3 ac	1922-3-4-5	42.82	3.33	46.15

VILLAGE OF BATH

House of Providence	Pt lots 7 & 1 south of Queen and west of Church St. (Meacham's Atlas)			1923-4-5	31.14	3.03	34.17

VILLAGE OF NEWBURGH

Hazard Bristol	Lot 6, Con. 2 corner of North & Brock		1/5 ac	1922-3-4-5	5.94	2.50	8.44

N.B.—The above List of Lands are all Patented.

W. C. LOYST, Warden.

W. J. SHANNON, County Treasurer.

MOTOR FUEL FROM SUGAR.

Active Experimental Work Is Being Carried Forward.

Motor fuel from sugar is one of the late achievements of chemistry. A joint conference on power alcohol was held recently at the Congress of Chemists in London, England, under the chairmanship of Sir Thomas Holland, rector of the Imperial College of Science at Kensington.

A paper was submitted on "Experiences with Alcohol Motor Fuels" by Mr. J. D. Ross and Dr. W. R. Ormandy. Economic considerations, it was stated, point to the final utilization of alcohol fuels in tropical and sub-tropical countries where sugar, starch, and cellulose were rapidly and cheaply produced.

The first really large scale experiment on those lines was being carried out in Queensland, Australia, where a plant for the production of 2,000,000 gallons of fuel per annum was now being erected and the necessary steps were being taken for the erection of three further plants.

The raw material to be employed in these plants were molasses from the sugar plantations and starchy products such as cassava or sweet potato.

That venture might well prove a forerunner to a considerable number of such schemes in various parts of the British Empire, where conditions were suitable.

Active experimental work was being carried out with fermentation processes for the production of motor fuels from green cellulose and the conversion of the cellulose from sawdust into fermentable bodies.

Chinese Like the Phonograph.

The phonograph has found great favor in China. Chinese buyers like cheapness, and they do not mind the scratching so long as the machine is loud enough. The record-making is most expensive, the most famous Chinese bands and singers being engaged. The Chinese do not care for foreign records, except for laughing songs and loudly clashing instrumental selections, with the bugle and drum.

The Rose.

The tea rose was formerly known as the tea-scented China rose, because of its peculiar fragrance, said to resemble that of a newly opened tea chest. It originated in China, Sir Abraham Hume receiving from that country, in 1809, the first of this variety sent to Europe, a specimen with double pink flowers. The Latin name for the tea rose is rosa indica odorata.

Holy Cities of the World.

Allahabad is the holy city of the Indian Mohammedans. Benares is the holy city of the Hindoos, while Cuzco is that of the ancient Incas. Jerusalem is the holy city of the Jews and Christians. Mecca, Medina and Damascus have first place in the affections of the Mohammedans.

Beneficence Well Repaid.

Beneficence is a duty. He who frequently practices it and sees his benevolent intentions realized, at length comes really to love him to whom he has done good.—Immanuel Kant.

Accidental Colors.

Accidental colors are those colors which depend on the state of our eyes, and not those which the object really possesses. Thus, after looking at the bright sun, all other objects appear dark; after dark color is the accidental color of the bright sun. When again, we come from a dark room, objects at first often have a yellow tinge. This is especially the case after wearing blue glasses, for a minute or two after one has taken them off. The accidental color of red is bluish green; of orange, dark blue; of violet, yellow; of blue, white—and the converse.

A Brief Triumph.

The most embarrassing moment of my life happened during my college days, writes a correspondent. We were all sitting at the dinner table of the college boarding house, each trying to outdo the other in intellectual remarks. I had just finished what I considered a particularly bright comment. I lifted a cup of coffee to my lips with an air of triumph, when suddenly the chair I was sitting on collapsed and I sank to the floor, allowing the cup of steaming coffee to pour all over my face and clothes.

Ostrich's Feelings Hurt.

The finest ostrich feathers are the forty or more white ones which come off the wings. The birds seem to feel very keenly the disgrace of having their feathers plucked. They go about hanging their heads and showing chagrin very plainly. A more bedraggled forlorn-looking creature than the freshly plucked ostrich does not exist.

Prolific Hen Honored.

Some time ago a public funeral was accorded by the villagers of Zofingen, Switzerland, to a hen that died immediately after laying its thousandth egg; and a granite tombstone was afterward erected by them over its grave.

Most-Used Letter.

In Edgar Allan Poe's "The Gold Bug" he states that of letters of the English alphabet "e" predominates remarkably. The succession afterward is a o i d h n r s t u y c f g l m w b k p q x z.

Ancient School Book.

The oldest known A B C in existence is a little child's alphabet scratched on an ink bottle of hardware found in an ancient Greek settlement in Italy, believed to belong to the Fifth century, B. C.

Unlucky Thirteen.

Nearly a dozen important streets in London have no houses numbered 13, evidently in deference to the popular superstition which regards that number as unlucky.

Simple Dry Cleaner.

One of the simplest and cheapest dry cleaners is a piece of art gum. It will clean kid gloves, dancing slippers, pictures, etc.

Shorthand Long in Use.

From references made to skilled writers in ancient literature, the inference is drawn that shorthand was known long before the Christian era. The first authentic knowledge of the art dates to the first century before Christ. The pioneer of Roman shorthand was Marcus Tullius Tiro, secretary and librarian to Cicero, who devised a system which was little more than a list of abbreviations. Later it was improved to such an extent that reporters of the time could keep pace with the speakers by writing in relays. The system of the Latins fell into disuse between the Fifth and Ninth centuries, and modern stenography dates from 1588.

Pilgrim Fathers Were Separatists.

The Puritans sought the reform of the Church of England. The Pilgrims were Separatists, from the start, who had already left England and formed an independent congregation in Leyden, whence they came to New England. They numbered forty-one families, 102 persons, landing at Plymouth in December, 1620. They had previously made a covenant known as the Mayflower covenant, which bound them into a civil state with a religious basis. They wished to found "a church without a bishop and a state without a king."

Dog High on Roll of Honor.

To mention the dog is at once to call up a long vista of heroic deeds done by this noble species for the sake of mankind. Charlotte Bronte has recorded the finding at Herculaneum of the skeleton of the dog Delta, stretched over that of a boy of 12, with an inscription on the dog's collar, telling how he had three times saved his master's life—from the sea, from robbers, and from wolves. Evidently he perished in a brave attempt to keep the flow of molten lava from his little master.—Our Dumb Animals.

Ignis-Fatuus.

The ignis-fatuus is a pale-bluish flame which appears after sunset floating about two feet above the ground; sometimes remaining fixed and sometimes traveling. Some authorities think it is due to the presence of phosphorated hydrogen gas, others, to the combustion of methane. It is seen most frequently in northern Germany, in the swamps and moorland districts of northwestern England, and in the lowlands of Scotland.

No Room for More

"You ought to read the newspapers and get a different opinion." "Opinion! Good Lord, man, I have three already."—Dartmouth Jack-o-Lantern.

Qualities That Appeal.

"There is no room in the universe for [illegible] contempt or pride," but only for a gentle mind and a reverent heart.—James Martineau.

Problem in Anatomy.

No specter seems able to rectify matters when the cockles of the heart go wrong.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mary's New Pocketbook.

Mary had a new pocketbook with a coin in it. She proudly showed it to a friend of the family, and a man who adores all children, particularly adorable Mary. When Mary was not looking he put three new coins in the pocketbook with the original one and when Mary found it she was so surprised that she jumped up and down and shouted, "Mother, mother, my coin's hatched."

World's Oldest Harp.

What is said to be the oldest harp in the world is preserved at the Louvre museum in Paris. It was found in an Egyptian tomb and is nearly 4,000 years old. Others dating back 3,000 years have been discovered, while the instrument was held in such high regard by the ancient Celtic races that harpers were treated with veneration, and distinction, their rank being free and their persons sacred.

Variation in Carpets.

Most carpets and rugs have but one nap side. Brussels has a pileless velvet, but the pile is uncut. Wilton is heavier and more durable than Brussels, and the pile is cut, whereupon it appears like velvet. This carpet is so closely woven that it holds its surface. The Axminster rug (technically spool Axminster) is very much like Wilton, but has a looser weave.

Specific.

A traveler who alighted from the train in a small Southern town was greeted by a colored porter, who shouted at him: "Palace hotel, boss," and grabbed the traveler's baggage, and the latter said: "Wait a minute, Rastus. Is this hotel American or European?" And Rastus replied: "I dunno, boss, but I think they's Irish."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Laziest Place.

A little seaport in New Zealand, called Russell, is said to be the sleepiest place in the world. Rather than be put to the trouble of milking their own cows, they import condensed milk from Switzerland.

Lines to Be Remembered.

We should give as we would receive: cheerfully, quickly and without hesitation; for there is no grace in a benefit that sticks to the fingers.—Seneca.

Ultraviolet Rays.

For some years ultraviolet rays have been used for sterilizing water, milk and other fluids. The idea has now been applied to the disinfecting of barrels and casks.

Wedding Rings Use Much Gold.

More than 7,000 pounds of pure gold, says an authority, are required each year to supply the wedding rings for brides.

One Phase.

"Love" is defined to us by J. B. C. as "a brand of insanity that makes a man call a 200-pound woman his little tootsy-wootsy."—Boston Transcript.

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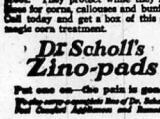

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WILSON'S HARDWARE.

October 27th, and 28th, "Daddy Longlegs," a four act comedy, given by Trinity Young People, in Trinity Schoolroom.

Mrs. W. J. Doller gave a surprise party for Mrs. F. P. Miller on Friday evening, when a number of Mrs. Miller's friends presented her with a handsome hat box.

The Napanee Golf and Country Club gave an enjoyable dance on Wednesday evening at their club rooms. A large crowd was present and a very pleasant evening was spent in dancing. Walters' seven-piece orchestra provided excellent music.

The Dominion Canners, Napanee, have had a very successful season. They have put up 35,000 cans of peas and about 40,000 cans of tomatoes and corn, and have their two large silos filled, besides numerous stacks, which will go into the silos later.

Friday afternoon last, Mr. C. Cummings, driver of one of the Belleville creamery trucks, while driving along the road near Moscow, noticed a wild raspberry bush loaded with ripe berries. He stopped his truck, broke off a small branch, which was loaded with ripe berries, and brought it to this office. Wild raspberries at this season of the year is quite an unusual thing.

London, Oct. 15.—Lord Oxford and Asquith, whose criticism of the policy adopted by former Premier Lloyd George during the general strike last May revealed serious discord within the Liberal party, has resigned his leadership of the Liberals. His resignation probably will be followed by the election of Mr. Lloyd George, now Liberal Parliamentary leader, to the leadership of the party, although there are other aspirants, notably Sir John Simon, one of the critics of the former premier in recent months.

W. G. Baughan, a well-known citizen of Napanee, passed away on Wednesday last at his home on Adelphi street. For a long number of years Mr. Baughan was a valued employee of the Gibbard Furniture Company and for a number of years was manager of the Gibbard Retail Store. About seven years ago he suffered a paralytic stroke which left him an invalid and forced his retirement from work. He leaves to mourn his devoted wife and four children, Mr. Hrold and Mrs. Kenworthy, of New York and Miss Beatrice and Mr. Edwin at home. The funeral took place from the late residence on Friday, under Masonic auspices.

VANLUVEN

Farmers, listen ! We have good steam coal for threshing and silo filling.

LANGUAGES IN CANADA.

English Is Spoken by Over Eighty-Four Per Cent.

For Canada as a whole 84.79 per cent. of the total population of 8,788,483 who were ten years of age and over could speak English according to the latest volume of the 1921 census.

This proportion was divided as follows: 58.61 per cent. spoke English only; 16.02 per cent. spoke English and French; 9.49 per cent. spoke English and a foreign tongue, and about two-thirds of one per cent. or 43,970 persons were reported as being able to speak English and French in addition to the language of their racial group. Those who were reported as speaking French only (877,514) constituted slightly over 12 per cent. of the total population, and of these 92.2 per cent. were in Quebec; 3.5 per cent. in New Brunswick, and 2.6 per cent. in Ontario. French is the only language of communication for 46.58 per cent. of the population ten years of age and over in Quebec; for 10.33 per cent. in New Brunswick, and for 1.38 per cent. in Nova Scotia.

English, as already stated, is used by 58.61 per cent. of the total population of Canada ten years of age and over. In Prince Edward Island 85.27 per cent. of the population of this age are restricted to English as a means of communication compared with 86.42 per cent. in Nova Scotia; 82.19 per cent. in Ontario; 83.99 per cent. in British Columbia; 67.85 per cent. in New Brunswick; 66.20 per cent. in Alberta; 61.07 in Manitoba, and 54.8 in Saskatchewan. Nearly 12 per cent. of the population of this age group in Quebec gave English as their only language.

It is worthy of note, says the Toronto Mail and Empire, that females of nearly every racial origin appear to have acquired the language of the country of their adoption more slowly than males. In most cases the classification by mother tongue indicates ethnic groups. English as mother tongue includes the different ethnic groups, English, Irish, Scottish and Welsh, while Yiddish is reported as mother tongue of only a part of the Hebrews, the rest speaking Polish, Russian, German, English, etc. Of the total population of the nine provinces, 62.16 per cent. gave English as the language of customary speech, and 27.67 per cent. French; 2.98 per cent. German and 2.84 per cent. a Slavic tongue.

Vilna's History.

Vilna, the pleasant little city on the Vilija, has an interesting history. It was here that long years ago, the Poles kept the sacred fire of paganism burning on the castle hill night and day. The city has lived through some strenuous ages fighting Teutonic knights, Tartars and other medieval Bolsheviks—not always successfully. With one eye on culture, even in the most gory days, Vilna still keeps the volumes—some 200,000—of her famous suppressed university.

Earliest French Coat of Arms.

The earliest arms of France were in three frogs (crapauds), which were figured on the shield of the mythical Pharamond. They appear again on the banner of Clovis in the tapestry at Rheims cathedral, representing the battle scenes of that monarch, who is said to have been baptised there on his conversion to Christianity. They are also found represented on a shield in Pynarus' edition of Fayban's chronicle.

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PERSONALS

(All our readers are cordially invited to hand in, or send in, any news they may have for this column).

Mrs. A. C. Baker is moving to the Mooney Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dibb are taking the Bogart apartment on Robinson St.

Major G. E. Hall, Montreal, is enjoying a couple of weeks duck shooting at Hay Bay.

Mrs. D. B. White has returned from visiting friends at Montreal and St. John's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham, Oshawa, were guests of his mother, Mrs. C. A. Graham, over the week-end.

Mr. Bert Shibley, Toronto, spent the week-end with his father, Mr. George Shibley.

Mrs. Harding, Toronto, spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gould, South Napanee, left on Wednesday last to visit friends in Petrolia and Buffalo.

Mrs. George Hutton ,Toronto, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry VanAlstyne, Mill street.

Rev. C. E. S. Radcliffe, of Deseronto, preached in St. Mary Magdalene's Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. A. Daly and Miss Mary Daly are on a trip to New York and Boston.

Miss Checkley leaves this week to spend the winter in Kingston.

Mrs. Morin and daughter, Connie, Bath, Maine, are guests of Mrs. Morin's sisters, Misses Helen and Constance Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hawley, Fort Erie, are renewing acquaintances at Dorland.

Mrs. Dennis Daly and Miss Kathleen Daly, Toronto, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Morden.

Misses Jessie and Lona Marsh, of Toronto, spent the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Kimmerly.

Mrs. White and Mrs. Morris Wolfe and baby, Detroit, Mich., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wolfe.

Rt. Hon. Arthur and Mrs. Meighen, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grange, had the honor of dining with Their Excellencies last evening, at Government House.—Ottawa Journal, Oct. 14.

Mrs. Arnott, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Thompson for several weeks, returned to Toronto last week. Mrs. Thompson accompanied her and is in the city for a few days.

DEATHS

Uens—At Richmond, on Tuesday, October 15th, 1926, William Uens, aged 75 years, 11 months.

DESERONTO.

The Home and School Association held their regular meeting Friday afternoon at the public school. The regular routine of business was transacted by the new officers, Mr. Campbell, principal of the High School, gave a very interesting lecture on the obedience of children, which was very much appreciated by those present. A general invitation is extended to all ladies to attend the next meeting, on Nov. 20th, as it is the aim of the association to have an instructive lecture at each meeting.

The United Church had a very successful tea, which is an annual event. The money realized was about $175. The crowd was large enough to serve three tables After supper the people repaired to the body of the church, where wonderful instrumental and vocal music was furnished by Belleville, Napanee and local talent. It was very well patronized by people from the surrounding district.

William Mowers was arrested on Thursday night by provincial officers for breach of the O.T.A. He was brought before Magistrate Bedford for one week.

John Rickman, of Sault Ste. Marie, formerly a Deseronto boy, is in town renewing acquaintances after an absence of twenty years.

NEWBURGH.

Mrs. Plumer and little daughter, Evelyn, and Miss Betty Wright, former residents of this village, are guests of Miss Welbanks.

Miss Mildred Winter, Kingston, spent Sunday last at her home here.

Mr. Cyril Bowerman, Detroit, visited on Monday with his father Mr. D. Bowerman, and both motored to Prince Edward to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lynch, of Belleville, spent last week-end with Mr. E. Harrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Davy, of Sydenham, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Warham, Mr. Bert Warham, Reeve and Mrs. Edward Sills, Sydenham; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sills, Sydenham; Mrs. Harry Ballard, Napanee, were in attendance at the funeral of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wartman.

Mr. Roscoe Scott is fast getting his poultry houses in good shape for his large stock of chickens.

Mrs. Jane Shannon passed away on Friday, Oct. 8th, after a sickness of a week's duration. Her funeral was conducted in the United church by the Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, on Sunday afternoon. Besides her bereaved husband, she leaves a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wartman, aged fourteen months, passed away on Thursday last, and the funeral service was conducted at the house on Saturday by Rev. T. H. P. Anderson. Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wartman in the loss of their baby.

The Radio Quartette, Belleville, will give a concert in the Bank Hall, on October 22nd, in aid of the Public Library.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vanderyoort, of Colborne, were recent visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nugent spent Monday last in Kingston, with Mr. Will Asselstine.

Mrs. Hamilton Armstrong, of Saskatchewan, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Caton.

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